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Double murder shocks Bay St. Louis

Daughter is sought in shootings; child missing

Hancock businesses,

ndustries honored

BY ED LEPOMA

A double murder numbed downtown Bay St. Louis Friday, and police are seeking the victims' daughter for question-

Police were called at 9:15 a.m. Friday to the two-story, blue Victorian house on Railroad Street that sits behind a black wrought iron fence at the corner of Second, and just a stone's throw from the railroad track and Easterbrook Street. Police quickly sealed off Second Street east and westward bound.

Police Chief Frank McNeil said the call that someone was found dead in the house was made by David Bouis, the son of one of the murder victims;

When police units arrived, McNeil said they found the body of 67-year-old Inez Kingston Bouis slumped in a chair in the living room, the apparent victim of a gunshot wound to the head. The victim

BY ELLIS C. CUEVAS

County Salute to Business and Industry's Award of Basel

lenge and Hancock Industries was recognized as the Hancock

County "Industry of the Year" at ceremonies held at the Our

Lady of the Gulf Community

Center Friday.

Hancock Board of Supervisor President Philip Moran

presented the "Award of Ex-

cellence" to Rear Admiral

Kenneth E. Barbour, comman-

der of the Naval Meteorology

and Oceanography Command.

Hancock Industries, accepted the Hancock County Industry

of the Year" award from David

Hancock County Port & Har-

recognized at the Port & Har-

bor sponsored event in coopera-

tion with the Hancock County

Board of Supervisors and Han-

bor Commission.

N. McDonald, president of the

Other businesses were also,

George Graves, director of

The United States Navy at the John C. Sternis Space. Center received the Hancock

had been covered up with a sheet, McNeil said.

After a further search upstairs, McNeil said detectives found the nude but covered body of Grady Winborn, 45, lying on his side in a bed. He also had been shot in the head, McNeil said.

Police have issued an all-points bulletin, and want to question Julie Winborn, 32, Grady's wife and the daughter of Mrs. Bouis. She is missing along with her son, seven-yearold Charles Polk.

Police are on the lookout for a maroon 1990 Honda Accord, which belonged to Mrs. Bouis. McNeil said it has a handicapped Mississippi license tag bearing the numbers E6V1 and a Keesler Air Force Tag number on the front windshield.

McNeil said units are being cautioned to "use due care and caution since the suspect might

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Hancock County Business

of the Year" honors went to Mississipply Power Company with the Pestiman Wester

sident Power Generation and

Delivery accepting the award

from Jon Ritten; president of the Hancock County Chamber

of Commerce. Mississippi Pow-

er Company's David Mauffray,

Chuck Ueltschey, Claire Dug-ger and Ramos McMillan also

received a special recognition

of the Year" award went to

Adams' Lorraine Flower Shop

with Bay Councilwoman Car-

leen Moran making the presen-

tation to John Adams on behalf

of Mayor Eddie Favre and the

Daddy-O's Cafe and Grill/

Donut Shop received the City

of Waveland's "Business of the

Year" award with Mayor John

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The Bay St. Louis "Business

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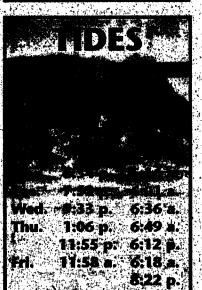
Murder scene

An elderly Bay St. Louis woman and her son-in-law were found shot to death Friday morning in this Victorian home at Railroad and Second Street downtown. Police are seeking the woman's daughter for questioning. (Echo staff photo by Richard Meek)



Keynote speaker

Jon. B. Roth, right, Special Assistant to the Director of NASA's John C. Stennis Space Center, accepts an Alice Moseley print from Hal Walters, Hancock County Port & Harbor Executive Director Friday. Roth was the keynote speaker for the 11th Hancock County Salute to Business and Industry held at the Our Lady of the Gulf Community Center. (Echo staff photo by Randy



McLeod Park anticipates busy summer

BY ED LEPOMA

The old adage, "Build it and they will come," is certainly ringing true for McLeod Water

The widening and paving of Texas Flat Road and recent flooding affected park atten-

dance last year, but road construction is nearing completion, and Park Ranger Roland Lee is bracing for a record

spring and summer season. Even with the inclement weather and road work that discouraged even the most determined campers, Lee reports 96,980 visited McLeod Park last year, a slight decrease from the 107,324 who

came in 1996. If the past weekend is any kind of indication of the season that lies ahead, Lee predicts it will be another banner year for the 328-acre camping and recreational compound on the Jourdan River.

We just cleared the way for 10 new campsites," said Lee. "And, before I could even get the (concrete) pads down, three campers are already renting the spaces."

Since taking over as park ranger two years ago, Lee has almost doubled the campsites reserved for trailers and recreational vehicles from 41 that had electrical and water hookups to the present 71. "And, they'll take them as fast as we can get them ready," he said.

Lee said 2,500 visitors came

through the park gates last week, and every available camping space has already been

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D'head Academy remain

open

BY RICHARD MEEK

Diamondhead Academy may have received one last gasp when the school's PTO unveiled a plan to rescue the private school on Thursday

It was announced in late March that the school would be closing at the end of the school year. However, parents have rallied around finding a way to keep the school open and have named their efforts, "Operation Rescue." On Thursday, a revised fee schedule was presented, as well as a letter to school board president George Cassis.

The revised fee schedule sets the total amount per student at \$2,710 per year. Included in that amount is \$2,250 for tuition, due by July 1, \$100 for registration, \$100 curriculum fee, both due March 1 and a \$250 fund-raiser fee. The fund-raiser fee is also due July 1.

Families opt to sell five raf-fle tickets at \$50 each instead of paying the fee.

In making the announcement of the closing, Cassis said nearly 40 percent of the school's 64 students are paying reduced tuition.

In a letter to the school board dated April 8, PTO President Karen Hector said the announcement of the closing "sent shock waves not only through those associated with the school but throughout the community as well...I just can't help but think that there might be a glimmer of hope in keeping the school open."

Hector made several requests of the board, including the cost of operating the school, the number of students committed to returning if the school were kept open, and the amount of fund raising needed.

She also offered several suggestions, beginning with better communication between the PTO and the board.

"This is our school, and we have a right to know what shape the school is in at all times so that timely and appro-

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Space scarce

Park Ranger Roland Lee says camples are scooping up spots at McLeod Water Park as soon as he can run electricity and water to the sites. Now that Texas Flat Road from Hwy. 603 to the park entrance has been repayed and widened, he is expecting record crowds this season. (Echo staff photo by Ed Lepoma)

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CALVIN SHAW LOUISE C. STRONG BETTY JEAN STROUD

BRENDA ANN AUTRY

Brenda Ann Autry, 56, of Bay St. Louis, died Wednesday, April 15, 1998, in Gulfport. Ms. Autry was born in Laurens, S.C., and had been a resident of the Coast for most of her life. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include two daughters, Pamela Marie Morris of Long Beach and Julie Heniser of Biloxi; three sons, Clifford Heniser of Garland, Texas, Terry Heniser of Gulfport and Charles Heniser of Long Beach; three sisters, Doris Bangs of Laurens, Barbara Reach of Biloxi and Betty Knizner of Bay St. Louis; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were conducted Friday at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home Chapel in Gulfport. Burial was in Evergreen Gardens in Gulfport.

BERNICE BIELLER Mrs. Bernice L. Bieller, 80, of Pass Christian, died Tuesday,

April 14, 1998, in Pass Christian. Mrs. Bieller was born Agu. 17, 1917 in New Orleans. She had been a resident of the Gulf

Coast for 33 years. She received 'awards and recognition for the many hours she spent volunteering with organizations on. the Coast. Mrs. Bieller was a leader in the organization to develop senior citizen center in Pass Christian and Long Beach and worked with youth organizations such as CETA, JTPA, CAA and the Summer Youth Program.

Survivors include her children Diane Miolen of Macon, Ga., ynthia Hanselman of Centerville, Ga., Wayne Bieller of Waveland, David Bieller of Pass Christian, Anna Mellen of Long Beach 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Bieller wished her body
be donated to Tulane Medical Center. Mass was celebrated

Friday at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Long Beach. The family prefers donations to the Mother Cabrini League, 434 West Deming Pl., Chicago,

IL 60614. Riemann Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

GEORGE EMERICK SR.

Mr. George A. Emerick Sr., 65, died Friday, March 27, 1998, in Natal, South Africa. Mr. Emerick was born in Mis-

hawaka, Ind. and had been a resident of Arabi, La. for 38 years. He served in the United States Army during the Korean conflict and was a member of VFW Post 3706 in Chalmette, serving as chaplain for a time. He was a member of St. Louise de Marrilac Church, St. Louise Parents Association, and Stardusters Drum and Bugle Corps Boosters Organization. He retired from Lone Star Industries as a draftsman and later worked for Citidel Cement Corporatoin and Amstar Sugar Refinery. He was preceded in death by

his parents, Thomas and Margaret Emerick; a brother, John Emerick; and a sister, Rosemary Emerick.

Survivors include his wife, June Hyduke Emerick and stepson Travor Hyduke, both of Natal, S.A.; brothers Thomas Emerick and Dennis Emerick and sisters Beyerly Emerick, Betty Emerick, and Diana Emerick all of Mishawaka, Ind.

He was the father of David Emerick of Lacombe, La.; Ava Emerick Thibodeaux of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Pamela Emerick Buehler of Bay St. Louis; George Emerick Jr. of Chal-mette, Mark Emerick of Independence, La., Brian Emerick of Violet, La.; Clifford Emerick of Arlington, Texas; and Candace Emerick Duvieilh of Waveland; all of the former marriage to Beverly Chase Emerick of Slidell.

He is also survived by 18

Arrangements have been made for burial in South Africa. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at St. Louise de Marrilac Church in Arabi Saturday, April 25. The family prefers

SHEILA FANCHER Sheila Russell Fancher, 56, of Richmond, Va., died Monday,

April 6, 1998, in Richmond. Ms. Fancher was born April 9, 1942 in New Orleans. She received a master's degree from the University of Southern Mississippi in Hattiesburg and taught kindergarten for two years at St. Paul Elementary School in Pass Christian. She was the owner/operator of Snip Snip Haircutting Shop in Powhatan, Va. She was queen of Mardi Gras in Pass Christian in

She was preceded in death by her father, Woodrow B. Russell. Survivors include her mother, Ione Abbley Russell. Services were conducted Fri-day at St. Paul Catholic Church in Pass Christian. Burial was in Gulf Pines Memorial Gardens

Cemetery in Long Beach. Riemann Funeral Home in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

CLEMENTS M. LADNER Clements M. Ladner, 71, of Kiln, died Thursday, April 16, 1998, in Biloxi.

Mr. Ladner was a native of Bay St. Louis, a member of Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln and a lifelong resident of Dedeaux and Kiln. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Cynthia Ladner; sister, Loretta Sebe; and four stepgrandchildren.

Survivors include his lifelong companion, Marie Odom of Kiln; sons John "Timmy" Ladner of Steep Hollow; five step-sons, Glen Davis of Necaise Crossing, Ricky Davis of Saucier, Donnie Odom of Biloxi, Timmy and Glen Odom of Kiln; a daughter, Dawn Ladner Graham of Pass Christian; step-daughters Dolores Wood of Picayune Diane Hall of Jackson, Evelyn Blanc of Slidell, Pat Taylor of Hammond, Sue Sau-cier of DeLisle, Cindy Lichtenstein of Pearlington; a brother, Clifton Ladner of Dedeaux; sisters Evelyn Necaise of Rocky Hill, Lillian Hoda of Dedeaux, three grandchildren, 18 stepgrandchildren and seven stepgreat-grandchildren.

Visitation was Friday at Sac-red Heart Catholic Church in Dedeaux. A Funeral Mass was celebrated Saturday at the church. Burial was in St. Joseph Cemetery at Rotten Bayou.

MABLE NECAISE

Mable Necaise, 84, of Kiln, died Friday, April 17, 1998, in Mrs. Necaise was a native of

the Dedeaux community and a homemaker. She was a member of Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Xavier Necaise; and a grandchild, Carol Moran Barnett.

Survivors include a son, John O. Necaise of Kiln; a daughter, Mary Louise Moran of Picayune; a brother, Leo Necaise of Gulfport; three sisters, Beaulah Sprinkle of DeLisle, Esther Ladner of the Dubuisson Community, Annie Pearl Meyer of DeLisle; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation was Saturday at Annunciation Catholic Church in Kiln followed by funeral services and burial in Bayou Coco Cemetery in Kiln.

Picayune Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

SETH A. OSTERHOLM Seth Aaron Osterholm, 8, died Wednesday, April 15,

1998, in Jefferson, La. Osterholm was a resident of

Pass Christian and an honor roll student at, St. Clare Catholic School in Waveland. He was a first grade black belt

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Survivors include his parents, Alaberts and James Oster-holm; a brother Adam Osterholen, all of Plans Christian; and his grandparents, Leona Ruffin of Picayune and Lais Osterhold of Bay St. Louis.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m., today (Sunday) at Ed-mond Fahey Kaneral Home in Bay St. Louis with recitation of the rosary at 8 p.m. A service will be at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland with burial in Logtown

Cemetery in Logtown.
Edmond Fahey Funeral
Home, Bey St. Leuis, is in charge of arrangements.

RICHARD J. RICHARDS Richard J. Richards, 68, of Diamondhead, died Saturday, April 18, 1998, in Gulfoort.

Arrangements are incomplete at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home, Bay St. Louis.

CALVIN SHAW Calvin Shaw, 55, of Gulfport, died Wednesday, April 15, in Gulfport. He was a native of Hancock County but had lived most of his life in Harrison County. He was a member of the Campground Baptist Church. He served 10 years as Justice Court judge for Beat 4 in Harrison County and then was owner of Calvin Shaw's Tire and Auto Store in Orange Grove.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Johnson and Eunice Shaw; and a brother, Carl

Survivors include his wife. Carleen Shaw; a son, Jamie Shaw; a daughter, Angela Lasso; a stepdaughter, Dana Davidson; stepsons, Darrin Wilson, all of Gulfport, and Damon Wilson of Picayune; brothers, Bill Shaw of Bay St. Louis and Gerald Shaw of Perkinston; sister, June Ladner of Pass Christian and six acnuaren.

Visitation was Thursday evening at Riemann Memorial Funeral Home in Gulfport. Services were conducted Friday at the funeral home chapel. Burial was in Crane Creek Baptist Church Cemetery in Hancock County Chamber of County Que

LOUISE C. STRONG
Louise Christine Strong, 81, of Bay Str Louisedied Thursday, April 16, 1998, in Pass Christian.

Arrangements are incom-plete at Edmond Fahey Funeral Home in Bay St. Louis.

BETTY JEAN STROUD Betty Jean Payne Strend, 68, of Pearlington, died Tuesday, April 14, 1998, in Gulfport. Mrs. Strond was a native of Gulfport and had been a resident of Pearlington for the past 18 years. She had attended Westward Elementary School in Gulfport and graduated from Gulfport High School in 1953. She was a telephone operator in

Gulfport, Mrs. Stroud was preceded in death a son, Broward ("Rick," "Ricky" Stroud of Harvey, La.; and her parents. W. Wilson Payne of Lucille Ladner Payne of Gulfport.

Survivors include her husband, Mr. Lawson W. Stroud of Pearlington; three sons, Jerry A. Stroud of Biloxi; TSgt. Joseph H. Stroud Sr. of Colorado Springs, Colo. (USAF Academy), and Glen E. Stroud of Beaumont, Texas; two brothers, Wilson Earl Payne and Woodrow Murdock Payne, both of Gulfport; and eight grandchildren.

Visitation was Friday evening at Riemann Funeral Home in Gulfport. Services were conducted Saturday at the funeral home. Burial was in Evergreen Gardens Cemetery.

MILITARY MENTIONS

POS CARR Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Hubert A. Carr, whose wife, Regina, is the daughter of Doug H. and Mary J. Parker of Waveland, recently was promoted to his present rank while serving at Pacific Missile Range Facility, Kekaha, Hawaii. Carr was promoted based on

mance and proficiency in his designated specialty. Carr joined the Navy in Oc-

tober 1991.

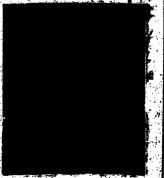


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BY ED LEPOMA

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new Kiln Library are scheduled at 11 a.m. Friday at the site, just one-half mile north of the present Kiln Library on Hwy. 608.

The public is invited to attend the event, which will feature officials from the library system, the Library Founda-tion, the Kiln Library Advisory Board and the Hancock County

Board of Supervisors.

"For the future...a community" builds a library is the theme for the new Kiln Public Library," according L.J. Breaux, chairman of the Kiln Library Board, And, we want the entire community to participate in this project.

The 10,000-square-foot facility is in the final design stages. according to Library System Director Prima Plauche

of Supervisors and the Library Board of Trustees recently approved a joint resolution for basic financing of the building through the Mississippi Development Bank Act, which issues low interest bonds for local government capital improvement projects.

Plauche' said the Library Foundation and the Kiln Li-

The Hancock County Board brary Advisory Beard plan to jointly sponsor fund-raising campaigns for furnishing and equipping the new facility. The Library Foundation purchased the site last October and turned it over to the library system. Seed funding for the new library came from a \$132,000 federal Library Services and Construction Act grant, with a match by the Board of Supervisors.

National Library Week 'Your Libraries Reach Out' is 1998 theme

Your Libraries Reach Out to Hancock County! is the theme for National Library Week April 19-25.

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This year, libraries across the nation are celebrating the many ways libraries reach out and connect children and adults with a world of information through books, computers, magazines, videos, audio tapes and

"Today's libraries give communities global reach," said Prima Plauche', library system director, "but they also provide something more important the human touch in the form of librarians who are expert at locating, organizing and evaluating information.

Libraries have always been a great equalizer," she said, providing in formation resources to help people of all ages and backgrounds lead better lives. Today, this role is more impor-tant than ever."

National Library Week is a time to celebrate the constantly evolving American library and to feature professional librarians for their efforts to ensure that all people have the information they need, whether from a computer database or a book.

During National Library Week, the Hancock County Library System will offer several special programs to show how they reach out to the community.

The Library Foundation and the Library Board of Trustees will host a luncheon for elected officials Monday, April 20, to kick off the week's events.

Internet Basics, a workshop conducted by Art Allard of Datasync, Inc., will be held Tuesday, Apr. 21 at 7 p.m. in the Seal Meeting Room. The program will provide information about connecting to the Internet. Seating is limited. Persons

interested in attending the seminar should contact David Woodburn at 467-5282.

On Wednesday, April 22 at 10:30 a.m., Susan Daigre will present a special story hour about how the library reaches out to pre-school children.

The City of Waveland and the Library Foundation will reach out to business and industry by hosting a Chamber Business After Hours at the Waveland Library Literacy Center Thursday, Apr. 23. This is open to all chamber members and their

The finale of the week will be a groundbreaking ceremony for the new Kiln Public Library Friday, April 24, 11 a.m. on the Hwy. 603 site.

The public is invited. Officials from the library system, the Library Foundation, the Kiln Library Advisory Board and the Hancock County Board of Supervisors will be present. "For the future . . . a community builds a library is the theme for the new Kiln Public Library," said L. J. Breaux, Kiln Library Advisory Board chairman, "and we want the entire community to participate in this project."

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The Hancock County Board of Supervisors and the Library Board of Trustees recently approved a joint resolution for basic financing of the building through the Mississippi Development Bank Act, which issues low interest bonds for local government capital improvement projects.

The site, located on Hwy. 602 approximately one-half mile from the present facility, was purchased by The Library Foundation of Hancock County in October, 1997.

Earth Day Wednesday

Gulf of Mexico Program addresses environmental problems daily

BY BETSY GAGNET This Wednesday people all

It is a day set aside to focus on environmental isssues and problems facing communities, along with possible solutions. At Stennis Space Center, the

Gulf of Mexico Program addresses environmental concers

Begun in 1988, the nonregulatory program works to protect and restore the Gulf of Mexico and its coastal areas, including the states of Texas, Louisisana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida, It brings together state, federal and local governmental agencies as well as private industry, businesses and individuals in an attempt to solve the problems facing the Gulf.

"The Gulf Coast areas have issues which cannot be addressed by any single govern-mental authority," said Gulf of Mexico Program Deputy Director Bryon Griffith, explaining

address the problems.

Although environmental over the country will celebrate issues may seem to be particu-Earth Day by participating in lar to one state, Griffith said the environmental projects and entire region operates as one

"What takes place or does not take place in one state can dramatically affect the other states," he said. One of the hallmarks of the

program is that it deals with enviromental issues at the community level. The efforts to implement solutions to the problems are community led. Community involvement be-

comes especially important when it is realized how the problems in the Gulf can affect communitites dependent upon the waters for living.

A current priority is the restoration of shellfish growing waters and reefs.

Over 50 percent of the harvestable oyster beds in the Gulf have been closed either permanently or temporarily due to pollutants, said Griffith. He pointed out that Hanker-

chief Reef, an oyster reef just off of Henderson Point, is closed afthe program acts as a sort of ter every significant rain bebroker, seeking all avenues to cause it is assumed it is exposed to contaminants that may be unsafe. The reef is reopened only after it has had time to

Another area addressed by program is habitat loss. Many people can recall stories of fishing spots which are no longer there, Griffith said,

explaining one common experience of habitat loss. The program stresses solu-tions are led from the commun-city level, and begin with

prevention. "We could go to sleep and in-advertantly neglect all the things we value," said Griffith. "It costs 10 times more to fix things than it does to prevent

Prevention begins with the individual, he said, from such simple things as recycling and preventing boats from smashing into, and damaging marsh

Marine debris can also be

"I don't think we realize when we have a celebration and leave trash on the ground and it rains that some of the trash is going into the Gulf of Mexico," Griffith said.

Knowledge is another tool for prevention and the program's
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http://pelican.gmpo.gov is a
good source. Another source for

information is the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce Environment Committee.

With significant anticipated growth in the area, Griffith said it is important to plan for the fu-ture while protecting our envi-ronment. One of the goals of the program is to link the environ-mental protection with economic development.

There is a way to obtain a balance," he said. "There are al-ways solutions when people get together."

Make two arrests

Hancock County's Narcotics Task Force have made two arrests in two days in separate incidents involving the sale of

A local 19-year-old resident was arrested Tuesday on a charge of sale of a controlled substance (marijuana). Hancock County's Narcotics

Task Force Director Shane Corr identified the suspect as Chris Dale Wedgeworth, of 7056 West Rankin Street, Bay St. Louis. Corr said Wedgeworth was arrested without incident, and

was being held under \$5,000 bond. Corr said Wedgeworth al-legedly sold marijuana to an undercover agent on April 3. Agent Mike Byrd is in charge of

that investigation, he said. And, Wednesday night, NTF agents Jeff Jennings and Jeff Hair arrested James Wade

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Smith, 23, at his residence at 308 Ruella Street, Lot 3, Bay St. Louis.

ouis. Simmons was also charged with possession with intent to sell marijuana, Corr said, and was being held under \$5,000

Bay Police officerrs Paul Denham and Bobby Adams asisted in the arrest of Simmons. Corr said.

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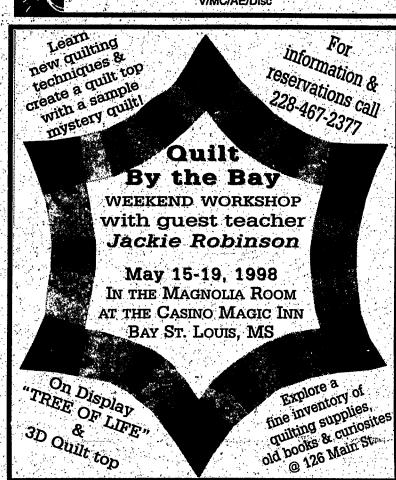
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Kids Voting organizational meeting held in Hancock

BY ED LEPOMA

Kids Voting Mississippi, Inc., is expanding into Hancock County, and what officials hope will be the core group of volun-teers held an organizational meeting Thursday.

Hancock County Circuit Clerk Pam Metzler, School Supt. Terry Randolph and Waveland Mayor John Mason were among those attending an organizational meeting at Ca-

sino Magic. Kids Voting is a nationwide, nonprofit and nonpartisan or ganization, and has been operating the last four years in Harrison County. Current plans are

Robinson Chapel Spring revival set April 22-24

Carpet Repairs

A Spring revival will be held at the Robinson Chapel, 401 Washington St., Bay St. Louis, April 22-24, 7 p.m. each night Speaker will be Elder O'Neal Fulton of Bay St. Louis, Elder, M. Robinson is pastor.

to organize groups in Hancock and Jackson counties.

The goal of the organization is to educate students grades K through 12 so they will be voters as they grow older. The participation by students is also seen as a way to increase adult voter turnout in future elections, because parents are urged to get involved in curriculum, which will be developed in county

Kids Voting holds mock elec-tions simultaneously with national elections, and students are urged to cast ballots on election day on the same issues and candidates their parents

consider. At Thursday's meeting, the volunteers representing area schools, businesses and government, agreed to form Hancock's Kids Voting group under the umbrella of the state franchise. The groups organized into various committees and elected a

chairman for each committee. For more information, contact the Kids Voting office at



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"CUEVAS" QUOTES!

By Ellis C. Cuevus

On Tuesday and Wednesday, April 21 and 22, a very interesting program will be taking place in Waveland and at Bucraneer State Park.

Mississippi Operation Lifesaver, Inc., will be promoting highway-rail grade crossing safety.

At Buccaneer State Park on Tuesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Illinois Central's Little Obie (a working miniature locomotive), along with Engineer Paul Rose, will be providing train rides as a means of educating school-aged children from surrounding schools on rail safety. School Superintendent Dr. Mike Reed and Illinois Central

Risk Manager Ken Robinson are coordinating the train rides. Operation Lifesaver presenters will also be making pre-

sentations in the schools. On Wednesday from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m., Operation Lifesaver volunteers and Waveland volunteers will be giving out informational hand-outs promoting highway-rail grade crossing safety. This will be at the Nicholson, Coleman and

Waveland avenues crossings. As the hand-outs will stress, we all need to "Look, Listen and Live."

It is good to promote rail crossing safety, as far to many accidents involve vehicles and trains along the Coast.

Also on Wednesday, Rons Owens, CSX Rail Transport,

Operations Lifesaver representative, will address the Bay St. Louis Rotary Club at its noon luncheon.

Congratulations are in order for everyone recognized Friday at the 11th Hancock County Salute to Business and

The salute was sponsored by the Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission, Hancock County Board of Supervisors and the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce.

The Award of Excellence was presented to the United States Navy at the John C. Stennis Space Center, and Industry of the Year honors went to Hancock Industries.

As many of you know, the Navy plays a vital role at Stenhis, and it was great to see Rear Admiral Kenneth Barbour accept the award. There are several Navy installations at the Stennis Space Center, and we hope they continue to bring others in years to come.

Hancock Industries is unique in that it provides employment opportunities for physically and handicapped persons residing in the Hancock County area. Moving from a 2,000-square-foot building in Bay St. Louis when it began in 1979, then to a 4,000-square-foot building, it now has a 10,000-square-foot addition to its facility at the Port Bien-ville Industrial Park employing some 30 adults. George Graves deserves all the recognition Hancock Industries receives, along with all the employees at the facility.

The Hancock County Business of the Year honors went to Mississippi Power Company. Electricity is a very important product in the world today, and Mississippi Power has been providing this service to many of us for as long as I can

Daddy-O's Cafe and Grill/Donut Shop was recognized as the Waveland Business of the Year. Tommy Kidd has done wonders with the business, and I sure enjoy those creamfilled donuts and Cajun fried turkeys.

The Bay St. Louis Business of the Year honors went to Adams' Loraine Flower Shop. John and Ginger Adams continue a family tradition in the distribution of flowers going

back to 1902. The Diamondhead Business of the Year recognized is Dictography/Alarms Plus, Inc. Henry Burkhardt, president and owner, offers Dictograph Security Systems, from one of

the oldest alarm companies in the world. Taking honors as the North Hancock Business of the Year was Kiln's Rooster's. Andy and Lee Lott have moved Rooster's up to among the top restaurants on the Coast.

Once again, congratulations to each and everyone who as so honored.

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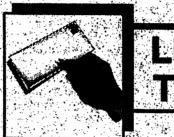
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Don't impose an unnecessary hardship

Dear Editor:

I read both of Ed Lepoma's articles concerning the Perez family of Chapman Road, and in each instance found them to be informative and unbiased.

Since Mr. Perez and I have been co-workers for nearly 10 years, you can imagine that we have discussed his present di-lemma at great length on many

I guess some might say that I am biased, but any time there will be bias. What really matters, though, is what is right or what is wrong, not opinion. In the Perez case, this decision is being tossed back and forth between the Hancock County Supervisors and the Planning Commission Commission.

As I see the situation, Mr. Perez applied for a permit to have his manufactured home placed on his property (I know what it cost him, and it is not just a trailer). His only intent was to use his property, which was purchased before the Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance that declared the area R1, to move his family into the best home he could afford in an area that he liked. This is the same property that Mr. Perez has allowed his elderly in-laws to reside on, rent free, in their mobile home since 1996.

Mr. Perez's request for a special exception was based on his long-term plan to erect a home, within his budget, which would allow his wife to be near her parents so she could care for them in their old age.
I am certain that if I were on

the Planning Commission the decision would have been as obvious to me as it was on two occasions to the majority of mem-

bers. If not for this type of situation, why would there even be a provision for special exceptions in the ordinance?

I can't imagine what kind of pressure the fine people of Garden Isles can put on the supervisors that would compel them to force the Planning Commission to vote a third time on this

I'd like to tell the folks in Hancock County a few things about Jack Perez. He is a hardworking, law-abiding, highly responsible, unselfish individual I would feel blessed to have as a neighbor. If he is forced to move, it will hot only put an unnecessary and unmanageable financial burden on his family, but it will deny you the gift of a wonderful neighbor worderful

To the Planning Commission I'd say, stick to your decision. If your heart tells you it's right, it

To the Garden Isles residents I'd like to say, meet the Perez family, visit their home. I think you will be pleasantly sur-prised, but I've been around the block too many times to believe that would work. It seems to me that the Garden Isles residents who oppose Mr. Perez would do better to concentrate their efforts to improve their own area and leave the fate of the rest of Shoreline Estates to the applanning pointed commissioners.

To the supervisors I'd say, this is a special exception! Don't impose an unnecessary hardship on the Perez family without just cause. Examine the motives of both sides and the solution will be evident.

Sal Ragusa Metairie, La.



ASK THE V.A.

By Donald Mauffray **Veterans Service Officer**

National cemetery benefits available

More than two million Americans have been buried in national cemeteries. Burial in a national cemetery is an honor, one made easier with a little preparation.

If a veteran wishes to be buried in a national cemetery, he/ she should communicate those wishes to the family. Grave sites cannot be reserved before death.

So when a veteran dies, the family should notify the national cemetery immediately to put arrangements in motion. However, the family's funeral director will notify the national cemetery, when the family makes the final arrangements and presents the director with the veteran's DD-214 or other discharge papers.

Don't wait until death occurs to try to locate the discharge papers. Now is the time to put them some place (safe deposit box, etc.) where family members can get them when needed.

If the papers are not on hand (have been lost in moving, disaster, etc.), they can be procured from National Personnel Records Center, 9700 Page Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63132-5100.

The VA forms for ordering same can be obtained at my office, 149 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, phone 467-2100. It can take six weeks or more to re-

ceive them due to backlogs. Eligible veterans include any member of the U.S. armed forces who died on active duty; a veteran whose discharge is under conditions other than dishonorable; and the spouse, widow/widower, and minor children of an eligible active duty member or veterans.

The National Cemetery System then offers burial benefits to assist in the interment. Benefits, including grave site headstones or markers, opening and closing of the grave site and perpetual care, are provided at no charge to the family.

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Headstones are inscribed with the deceased's name, branch of service, year of birth and year of death. Veterans not buried in a national cemetery. are still entitled to the govern on ment headstone and a/US/flag

Again, the funeral director has the VA forms for ordering the headstones, and he obtains the U.S. flag from the post

If, however, no discharge papers were/are available at the time of burial, the headstone and flag can be obtained posthumously. I have the necessary forms in my office for ofdering them.

Once gain I want to stress the importance of not only knowing where your discharge papers are, but also of letting your family know so as to be prepared when they are needed.

If the spouse of a veteran dies first, he/she can be interred in a national cemetery as long as the veteran says that he/she also intends to be interred there.

But, the veterans' discharge papers must be presented at the time. Then, on the veteran's demise, he/she will be interred next to the deceased spouse.

THE PEOPLE'S BUSINESS Lights really needed for Waveland Little League

Dear Editor:

There was an article in the March 5 issue having to do with upgrading the lighting in El-wood Bourgeois Park for the Little League program in Waveland.

Of course, no lights have been installed, and now we have been told we won't be getting lights for the field this year.

A few representatives for the ballpark went to the city meeting last week to find out what we had to do to get the lights put up. (The lights themselves were donated by the county and are presently in the possession of the City of Waveland). Some of the aldermen treated our representatives very ridely.

If we are not mistaken, do the aldermen not represent the people of their districts? Do these men have no civic bride? Do they not care about the children of their own community?

We would like to thank Mr. Smolensky and Mr. Fleurist for

Smolensky and Mr. Fleuriet for at least showing some interest in our plight, and includes to find a way to get this problem solved.

The Little League represen-tatives were also told at the meeting last week that all we ever do is whine. Wellswhine if we must, but we feel that these

children are well worth any whining or begging that we may have to do. If we don't invest in our children today they could become the criminals of

We would like these aldermen and the mayor to come to the ballpark on Saturday, April 25, our opening day, and tell these children why they are not worth the time or the trouble to have lights installed for them to play under. They are not old enough to

vote, but we, their parents, coaches and friends are, and are well aware that this is an elec-One final thing that your

readers may not be aware of is that Waveland Little League is not funded by the City of Waveland but by our never-ending fund raising and volunteerism. We will continue to work, beg

and maybe even whine as long as we have children who want to paly this great game called baseball. Sincerely

Little League Editor's note: Letter signed by fourteen and on file at newspaper's office.

A Weekly Editorial

From Mississippi Economic Council.

Food taxes — they're eating us up

Food Fight! When Ways and Means Com-

mittee chairman Charlie Williams asked the House of Representatives to consider phasing out taxes on wheelchairs, hearing aids, artificial limbs and other medical devices, he bit off more than he could chew.

Sixty-two representatives teamed up and tacked on an amendment to cut grocery taxes from seven percent to five percent. Shocked legislative leaders warned this was a budget killer. Two days later the bill was killed, but 41 members refused to give in.

Cutting food taxes is politically popular. It's an opportunity for legislators to pound the podium for "the little people back home."

Cities and counties are adding extra sales taxes to restaurant and hotel tabs at a record rate. And the same legislators who lined up for the grocery tax cut routinely give their approval to these local taxes.

It's local officials who ask legislators for taxing authority to fund pet projects ranging from printing brochures to purchas-ing industrial land. Many of

these projects wouldn't get past voters at the ballot box, but that's usually a moot point. Rarely does the authorizing isgislation require giving citizens a chance to give a thumbs up or thumbs down.

Even officials in out-of-theway hamlets like to call these "tourist taxes." The reality is that, except in resort areas, the bulk of the tab is picked up by A tired mother taking her

brood to Burger King is forced to reach deeper into her purse for the extra one or two percent that will be added to the statew. ide seven percent. When a hungry worker stops at the local cafe for a blue plate special, the total tab goes up. And the wed-ding reception at the local hotel just got more expensive.

But don't look for a slow down Currently, 45 localities are collecting special 155 and more are on the Lagranture's docket awaiting special taxes netted \$1.50 and appeals that in a recommend appeals taxes netted \$1.50 and appeals that the special taxes netted \$1.50 and appeals taxes netted \$1.50 and appeals the special taxes netted \$1.50 and appeals taxes netted \$1.50 and appe Annualized, that to the

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11th Hancock County Salute to Business and Industry

Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission, Hancock County Board of Supervisors and Hancock County Chamber of Commerce

Navy honored

Hancock County Board of Supervisor President Phillip Moran, left, presents the 1998 Salute to Business and Industry Award of Excellence trophy to Rear Admiral Kenneth E. Barbor, USN, Commander Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, Stennis Space Center on Friday. The award was for the Navy's contribution to the economic growth of the area by the Navy at the Hancock County space center.

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tugal and open houses in Alexandria, Va.; Singapore, Gulfport and Bodo, Norway. Through the National Ocean Partnership Program (NOPP), the Navy has invested \$2.9 million in Mississippi education. The Navy continues to pursue the establishment

of a "natural laboratory" on the Coast for research under the NOPP.

This week Trent Lott dedicated the newest supercomputer in the NAVOCEANO/ DoD Major Shared Resource Center—one of the top 10 largest computing centers in the

The DoD High Performance Computing Modernization Office upgrades at an average annual cost of approximately \$40 million, keeping the center on the leading edge of technology

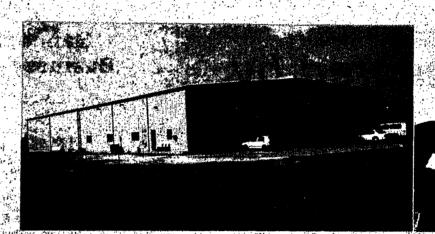
NAVOCEANO reached full operation of the most modern satellite data processing systems in DoD. In conjunction with the NASA commercial Remote Sensing Center. Stennis Space Center is becoming a national leader in the processing of remotely sensed

COMNAVMEOCCOM began engineering studies this year for a building program to house Navy processing of remotely sensed data.

Navy Small Boat Unit (Special Operations Forces which conduct military operations worldwide) make their permanent move to Stennis Space Center next month. Total workforce increase is 210. The move will involve a \$15 million construction program.

The Navy's Southeast Regional Human Resource Service Center will be established at Stennis and Gulfport Oct. 1, adding 235 jobs to the economy through 1999. Building refurbishment (\$3 million) is underway for occupancy in FY 99.

The Navy has been working with NASA for the construction of a new wing to Building 1100, which would allow CNMOC staff to consolidate in one location and free its existing space for use by the University of Southern Mississippi/Center of Higher Learning per earlier agreements.



Hancock Industries

Hancock Industries was honored Friday with the Hancock County Industry of the Year award. George Graves, right, director of the Port Bienville facility accepted the award. Hancock Industries presently employs 30 physically and mentally handicapped adults.

Industry of the Year Hancock Industries

Hancock Industries was established as a sheltered work shop program of the Gulf Coast Mental Health Center. This program's goal was to provide employment for physically and mentally handicapped adults living in the Hancock County area.

Funding for this program is obtained through the Mississippi State Department of Mental Health/Mental Retardation and the Hancock County Board of Supervisors. Hancock Industries presently employs 30 adults challenged in various ways, five management team members and a supplemental work force of local residents numbering

. Hancock Industries opened for business in 1979, in a 2,000 square foot building located in Bay St. Louis. After two and a half years the business outgrew that facility and moved into a 4,000 square foot warehouse where it operated for four years.

As business increased from its primary customer in East New Orleans, Hancock Industries relocated closer to its customer to a vacant building at Port Bienville Industrial

The location at the Port facilitated transportation and once again increased the need for the specialized packaging and marketing service that Hancock Industries provided. In 1989, Hancock Industries moved into a new custom-designed building on the corner of Port and Harbor Drive G Road.

This facility provided an excellent work place along with the use of the original Port Bienville facility until the middle 90s when once again expansion became necessary. Working with the Port and Harbor Commission and the executive director of the Port financing through the Mississippi Economic Commission monies were obtained and 10,000 square foot warehouse expansion was completed in April of 1998.

Many of the challenged persons who have worked at Hancock Industries have used the work experience and training gained at Hancock Industries to obtain employment in a diversity of occupational pursuits, others have opted to remain employed at Hancock Industries, and a few have been since its inception.

Over the years various projects have provided a diverse and rewarding training and work experience for citizens of Hancock County who ordinarily may have been stymied in their efforts of finding a job.

Hancock Industries has attempted over the years to mesh its goal of employing the handicapped with the economic fabric of this county and with the assistance of the citizens of this county have provided an industry that continues to grow and serve the needs of Hancock County.

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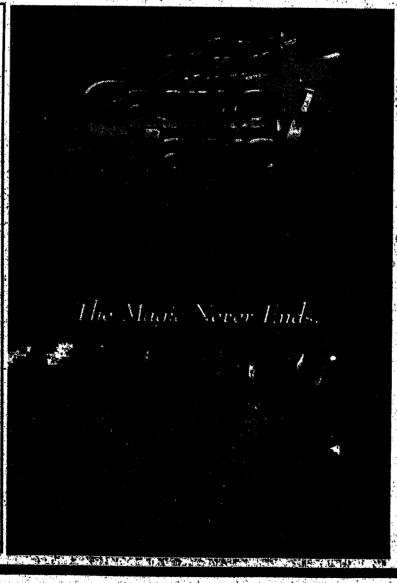
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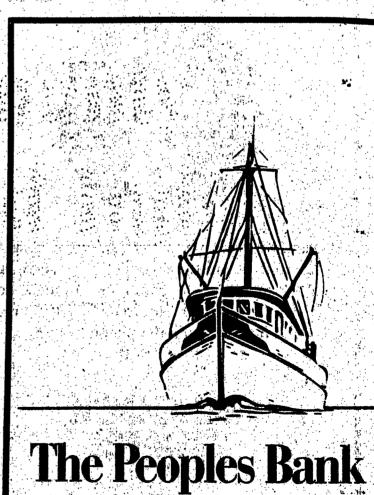
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Cited for its ability to be involved in almost all aspects of economic and community development activities, Mississippi Power Company has been awarded the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce's 1998 Hancock County Business of the Year.

Mississippi Power Vice President Andy Dearman accepted the award at the 11th Hancock County Salute to Business & Industry luncheon held recently at the OLG Parish Center.

"Mississippi Power is always at the forefront of activities to improve the quality of life in Hancock County," said Chamber President Jon Ritten. "The support varies from funding educational programs to assisting industrial re-cruitment, from executives serving on chamber boards to linemen pitching in with environmental activities. Mississippi Power is always where we need them to be."

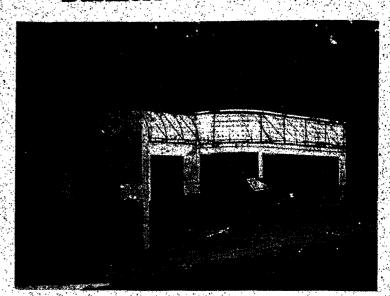
This is the 11th year the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce has presented its Business of the Year Award. The award was developed to recognize those businesses or organizations that have made outstanding contributions to the economy and reputation of Hancock County.

In accepting the award, Mississippi Power's Dearman said that the utility's commitment to Hancock County crosses many boundaries. "Due to the nature of our business, Mississippi Power is uniquely tied to Hancock County," Dearman said.

"Promoting quality of life in Hancock County not only improves the home of many of our employees, but enhances our ability to sell our product."

Last year, the North Hancock County Business and Professional Association received the Hancock County Business of the Year Award for their promotional activities surrounding Super Bowl XXXI.

Bay St. Louis Business of the Year



Adams' Loraine Flower Shop

Adams' name in the flower business on the Coast has roots that go back to 1902, when John Bavin Adams, an immigrant from England who was employed by the L&N Railroad, established a small nursery and flower business in Pass Christian.

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Nearly a century later, Adams' great-grandson, John R. Adams and his wife Ginger, are the owners of Adams' Loraine Flower Shop in Bay St. Louis.

When the first shop opened in 1902 in Pass Christian, there were only three florists from New Orleans to Mobile. The Adams shop in Pass Christian had agents in each town who took orders for flowers. The flower orders were made and then shipped by passen

ger train and picked up by the agents and delivered.

In the 1920's John Adams grandfather, William F. Adams St.

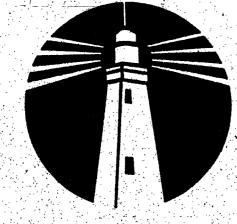
took over the business. In 1930 the business expanded with a shop in Gulfport with Bill Adams Jr. as manager. A Bay St. Louis shop was built in the 1940's. W.F. Adams Sr., who gave the keys to D. Howard Adams when he returned from

World War II said, "This is your business, make a living out of it." Howard Adams and his wife Nancy operated the shop until the

John and Ginger Adams then took over the business and are both active in the flower industry, and they are both FTD Master Designers. They are members of Central Allied Florists Assn., and Southern Retail Florists Assn. Members of the Society of American Florists Assn. can Florists, and both belong to the Mississippi Florists Associa-tion where John serves as 1998 president and Ginger serves on the board of directors.

The Bay St. Louis Adams' Loraine Shop, still on Ulman Avenue, holds a 1,200 square foot cooler, the largest retail walk-in cooler on the Mississippi Gulf Coast or in New Orleans. The John Adams have three daughters.

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"Since two previous owners failed with mainly a donut shop, we felt the need for more of breakfast-lunch format emowner Tommy Kidd.

"I had only seen one other restaurant combo with donuts and food, that being in Destin, Fla., and it seemed quite

"Anyway, we had spent many years in the food business with absolutely no donut experience; but a willingness to learn helped our decision, to take on this new venture.

With my daughter Kelyn's help and my wife Linda's re-

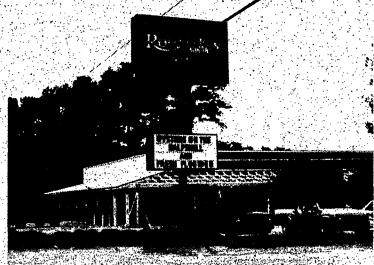
luctant support, we planned the decor around a 50's motif which many of our customers enjoy.

"Since our first day of business, we have enjoyed a reasonably successful five years with yearly increases in sales volume allowing for modest improvement in the property as well as some expansion.

"With the help of our many loyal friends and customers, our family hope to continue to grow with Waveland as well as all of the Hancock County community for many years to

come. May God continue smiling on us," Kidd added. Kidd said that several year ago when he and Linda got things really going, they transferred ownership to daughter Kelyn Breland and her husband Mark. The Kidds' still assist the operation of the business.

North Hancock County Business of the Year



Rooster's Restaurant

Andy and Lee Lott, owners of Rooster's, moved to the Kiln on July 4, 1981, from Lake Charles, Louisiana. On July 17th that same year, they opened the "Olde Rooster Delicatessen."

The restaurant included only the front dining room to seat 12 people, two gas pumps for service station area, a large room for storage and auto repairs, a grease rack and wash area for cars and two outdoor toilets.

Andy, a retired French chef, served an apprenticeship under Master Chef Fernado Oca (Le Cordon Bleu, Paris). Lee is an award-winning elementary teacher, and her grandmother taught Andy Haute Acadian (High Cajun) and Goat Acadian (Low Cajun) cooking.

After 15 years of hard work, the Lees have expanded the building to include the front dining room used mainly for the lunch crowd and as a waiting area on the weekends. The service station and grease rack is now the lounge

and glassed-in porch. The large storage room and auto repair shop have become the beautiful Acadian Room. There is live entertainment in the lounge and Acadian Room on weekends. And the "outdoor toilets" have been

The Lees and their daughter Daphne, who works fulltime at the restaurant, feel it is important to share with

everyone. Andy is familiarly known as "Pop" and continues to be the first one there in the morning and the last

"Rooster's Restaurant" offers some of the finest food, spirits and Southern hospitality around.

Diamondhead **Business of the Year**



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Dictograph Security Systems is one of the oldest alarm companies in the world. Henry Burkhardt, president of Dictograph Alarms Plus, Inc., owns the franchise for the Mississippi Gulf Coast and St. Tammany Parish in Louisiana.

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Shortly after, he moved his business to Diamondhead so he could participate in a business environment that not only welcomed him but had limitless potential.

Since 1987 he has not looked back. He quickly became involved in and contributes to organizations; Mississippi Alarm Association, Annunciation Church Men's Organization and Krewe of Diamondhead. As committee chairman in many of these organizations, Burkhardt has volunteered numerous hours.

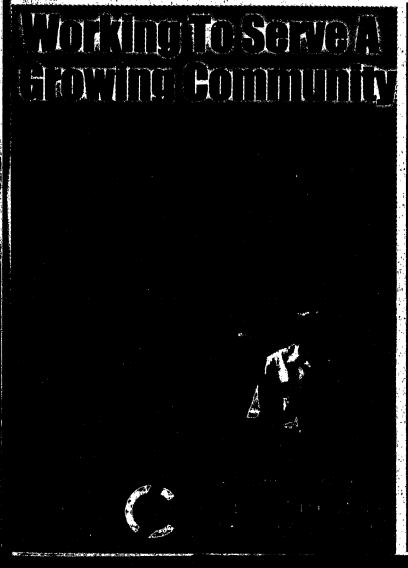
Burkhardt's foresight, excellent leadership and dedication have made Dictograph one of the top three security companies on the Gulf Coast.

This past year Dictograph Alarms Plus expanded its services to include home theater systems, home automation systems and telecommunication systems.

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Blaker wins Cajun Sprint feature at Sun Coast

Bruce Blaker, last week's Mini-Sprint feature winner, drove his Arts Automotivepowered sprint to another feature win at Sun Coast Speedway in Pass Christian.

Blaker, of Long Beach, shared the front row with Glen Clement of Ponchatoula for the start of the 17-car feature race.

Clement led the early going before getting caught up in lap traffic, allowing Blaker and Butch David to move past.

Michael Dupuy, the defending points champion also managed a pass on Clement. He also moved pat David, but was unable to challenge Blaker for the lead. Blaker and Clement also shared earlier heat race wins.

Ben Stephens held on for his first ever IMCA feature win. Gary Rever held the pole for the way to several cars in the 12-car field. Heat winners Donald Parker and Chuckie Smith both figured in the battle for the lead. Parker was able to move past Stephens with only a couple of laps remaining, but appeared to have stearing problems, causing him to drop from the race.

Smith moved into the second spot but ran out of laps before he could find a way around Stephens. Jimmie McMillian and Chris Moran finished in the third and fourth spots.

Street Stock feature winner Ryan Ladner led green to checkers as he added another feature win to this credits. Steve Marsh worked his way into the second spot, but was unable to take the lead from Ladner before they crossed the finish line. Heat start of the feature, but gave winners Anson Holley and

Noah Daspit added a third and fourth place to their earlier accomplishments

Rodney Bruse and Chet Morrison shared earlier heat race wins before leading the 12-car field of Pro Stocks to the starting lie. Bruce moved out to the lead as they came out of turn two and was never headed as he showed the way to the checkered flag.

Morrison held on to the second spot after battling with Bobby Helmer and Mitchell Williams for the position. Helmer did major damage to his car when he hit a stalled car in turn one ending his efforts for the night.

Williams was making a strong move toward the front before spinning in turn four with what appeared to be handling problems. This also ended Williams' quest for a win as he

turaed his spot over to Ronnie Roberts, who had worked hier way through the pack Randy, Eaten and Oven Kesbab tounded out the top fire

K. I. Davis made a clean sweep winning both heat and feature Late Model races. This was Davis' second win of the season. Rickey Hankins, also a two-time winner this season. finished in the second spot over veteran driver Bennie Spicer. Lindsey Sims, a newcomer to the Late Model division, finished fourth ahead of Jamie Luzenberg.

Jason Beauchamp, one of the youngest competitors at the speedway, also claimed heat and feature wins in the Rookie class. Lowell Turan and last week's feature winner Stephanie Pate rounded out the top three,



Favre honored

Colin-Marcy Favre, 11-year-old daughter of Don and Dawn Favrage Chandler, Ariz., recently compeled in the state gymnastics meet at Arizona State University in Tempe. She competed at Level 9 (Junior Division) and took first place on the floor exercise. She is one of the top Junior Division Level 9 gymnasts in the state of Ar-izona and will now travel to Las Vegas, Nev. to participate in the Western Regional Meet April 17. Favre is training for Junior Elite and is coached by John and Lisa Spini at Desert Lights Gymnastics in Chandler, Ariz.

Awards banquet

The awards banquet for the Lakeshore Youth Athletic Club is scheduled Saturday, April 26.

The banquet will be held in the cafeteria of Hancock High School, and doors will open at 6:30 p.m. Coaches and athletes are free, and other adults will be charged \$2.50 and children,

For more information, contact Eric Moran at 467-1312.

PRCC' Smith **All-Tournament** at Meridian

Pearl River Community College golfer Thomas Smith earned an All-Tournament honors in Meridian last Thursday, as the Picayune sophomore shot a team-low 78 to lead his Wildcat squad to a fourth-place finish in the Rush Hospital-Meridian Community College

Country Club. Smith's score was his lowest ever in two seasons with Coach Mike Humphreya' Wildcats. PRCC finished with a team score of 336, while Jones was third at 333, Copiah-Lincoln second at 332, and East Central first at 330. Southwest Mississippi finished fifth with a 227.

Smith was one stroke behind tournament medalist Jason Haley of ECCC. The duo were joined on the All-Tournament team by Tony Ellis of Co-Lin (79), Spenser Flisher of Jones (79), and Brandon Sumrall of Southwest (80). Other Wildcat scores in-

cluded Chris Causey of Petal with an 80 and Picayune freshmen Shawn Ferguson and Brandon Fornea, who shot rounds of 81 and 97 respectively.

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Youth football registration dates

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II The time is quickly approaching for the most anticipated time of the year. No, it's not the end of the school year, nor is it Christmas. It's time for FOOTBALL!

The Bay St. Louis Youth Football league is coming off its most successful season ever in 1997 and wants to prepare for

an even better one in 1998.

The league will hold registration for the football players and cheerleaders on May 8-9 and May 15-16. The league is holding registration earlier this year because the league's board is wanting to experiment with the league.

The youth football league

plans to hold a clinic for the children during the summer, as well as a coaching clinic for the coaches of the team.

The age groups are ages 6-8, 9-10, and 11-12 year olds. The registration is for the football players and the cheerleaders.

Be on the lookout for more information in upcoming issues.

Anonymous donor gives PRCC athletics \$35.000

received an anonymous \$35,000 donation.

Donna Wilson, executive director of the PRCC Development Foundation, announced the gift was given through a charitable lead trust for a period of five years at \$7,000 per

The gift was restricted to construction and equipment for the athletic department.

Keith Daniels, PRCC's athletic director, said the money will be used to support all Pearl River sports programs. Wildcat

Pearl River Community Colteams include football, basket kind of assistance," said lege's Athletic Department has ball, baseball, golf and tennis. Daniels. Lady Wildcat teams include softball, basketball and tennis.

"It's exciting that someone has enough interest in Pearl River College to give that kind of money;" said Daniels. "It will certainly help the overall

program."

Daniels said needs of the department and of each program will be analyzed with input from all coaches and members of the PRCC administration.

"There are many things we, as a college, could not realistically accomplish without this Last year, the college re-

ceived a \$20,000 donation from another donor to upgrade its weight room which is used by all sports programs. Daniels said the frist quar-

terly supplement of \$1,750 was used toward the purchase of a tarp for the Wildcat baseball

This year, the Wildcat Club donated new public address systems for the White Coliseum for basketball and for the Wildcat baseball diamond.

Father-son team wins Flint Creek bass tourney

Father and son team Don and Donnie Tisdale of Petal won a \$1.000 first place prize at the Bass Champions Team Trail tournament April 11 on Flint Creek in Flint Creek Waterpark. Some 29 teams competed to catch a total of 49 bass weighing 78.10 pounds.

The Tisales used rattle trap lures on the flats to catch their five-fish limit weighing 13.60 pounds. Second place went to M. L. Hatten and Marty Hatten of Purvis with three fish weighing 7.25 pounds; they won \$500. Their string of fish also included the Big Fish of the tournament at 4.05 pounds, winning them another \$280.

A third place prize of \$225 went to Jesse Draime of Long Beach and Ronnie Farrell of Waveland, who caught four fish weighing 7.20 pounds. Fourth place went to another Petal team, Jude Tisdale and George Moore, who caught five fish weighing 7 pounds using buzzbaits on the flats; they won Fifth place went to Red

Calvert and Marty Barrett of Stockton, Ala., who caught five fish weighing 6.80 pounds, winning \$150. Sixth place winner was the team of Johnny and James Carter of Hattiesburg, who caught two fish weighing 5.40 pounds; they won \$80. This was the third tourna-

ment of the season for the Bass Champions MS-06 Division. Five qualifying tournaments remain, including the Wildcart tournament. The next one will be May 2 on the Pascagoula River out of Indian Point Resort. The local director is Johnny Herron, (601) 261-5050. Members of Bass Champions

can quality for the year-end national championship by fishing in at least five local tournaments and by finishing in the top 15 teams of their division. The 1998 Bass Champions

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By Father Jerome LeDoux, SVD

"I know you! Yes, I know you tive lady. Thoughts of my even-

from some place!"
The lady relied her eyes around and looked me up and down, trying to figure out where she had seen me before. Her considerable effort made it obvious that it was of some importance to her to put me in proper context.

"Perhaps you saw me on one of the pictures in the post office," I suggested wryly.
"Oh no! No, that's not the case!" she protested. "I think it

was at an uptown church that I

met you." It was early afternoon of Holy Thursday, and I was working my way through the Home Depot checkout line when I en-countered the friendly, inquisi-

ing sermon danced in my head, notably the words of Jesus:

"Do you realize what I have done for you? You call me 'teacher' and 'master,' and rightly so, for indeed I am. If I, therefore, the master and teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash one another's feet" (Jn. 13:12-14).

Just before the cashier took care of her, the lady turned to me again. "I'm getting supplies for renovating the house. My son and I are doing it alone. My husband cannot be of any help because he's been in the hospital.

"He has one leg with a pros-thesis. The doctor had to cut off

Wash each other's feet

part of the prosthesis, and now, after a week or so, the doctor has to go back and repair what he has cut."

Remarkably, under those trying conditions, the lady's face and general appearance were relaxed. Off and on, there was the hint of a brave smile on her face. This became all the more amazing when she resumed speaking.

"One of my daughters has also bee operated on. The doctor had to remove part of her liver. Please pray for us."

It all made sense now. What Jesus was saying about washing one another's feet made perfect sense, while many of us may get few, if any, opportuni-ties to wash the feet or hands of others, we can do what is really meant: serve, minister.

I suddenly realized I was "washing the lady's feet," because I was listening to her with patience, with empathy, prayerfully. Holy Thursday's Lord's Supper atmosphere had entered the Home Depot where I

was ministering to the lady. "Wash one another's feet." was simply Jesus' way of saying: Serve one another. Love and minister to each other. In the words of Paul: "Rejoice with those who rejoice;

weep with those who weep" (Rm. 12:15). At first blush, there was nothing extraordinary about the lady's woeful story, since every day in the life of most of us

abounds with sad tales. But quite out of the ordinary were her faith, peace and strength in the face of adversity.

And that is exactly the beauty of it. Washing each. other's feet, serving one

another, ministering to each other should be completely interlaced with everything we experience every moment of each day of our lives. It is only then that the full impact of the words of Jesus willengulf our life and turn it ar-

ound so radically that the mandate of Jesus will become part and parcel of all that we think, say and do in our family, church, at work and at rest. The Home Depot or any

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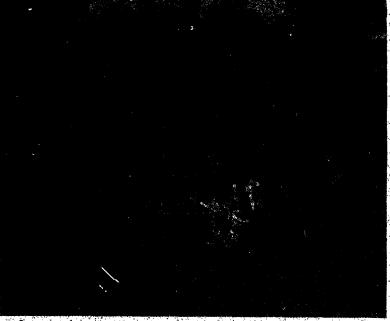


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Building-off classes terms in Bay St. Louis

Thirty-five building officials and several architects came from the Mississippi-Alabama coastline, and as far away as Atlanta, to become more proficient in guarding their communities in hazard resistant construc-

tion April 1 and 2.
Topics included how high winds, floods and wildfires can damage homes, wind, flood and wildfire resistant construction criteria, practical solutions, financial incentives and concluded with certification

examinations. The group gathered at the Bay St. Louis depot for their class instruction and hands on experience on models built and situated on the grounds of the

Bill Carrigee, building offi-cial for the City of Bay St. Louis, arranged for the class to be presented by the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency, Mississippi Coast Building Officials Association and Blue Sky program trainers, in cooperation with Robert Boteler, MEMA

Family Child Center

The Family Child Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is looking for volunteers: For informatin on how you can help prevent child abuse, call 868-8686 or 865-0982.

Fibromyaliga Support Group

The Fibromyalgia Support Group (widespread pain? fatigue? non-restorative alcep?) meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in Burton Memorial United Methodist Church, corner of Pass Road and 22nd Avenue in

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Consumer Tax Relief is a company designed to help people file for this type of relief. If you or someone you know has a tax problem, you may have noticed that trying to deal with the IRS is next to impossible. Howdebt by taking advantage of ever, if taxpayers file the proper

forms and work through the appropriate channels, they can be

Many people don't realize the options available, but the majority of delinquent taxpayers qualify for these programs. People that need immediate help should call the toll-free Con-

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Signing petitions to abolish IRS Code made easy

As part of a monumental grassroots effort to gather one million signatures on petitions to abolish the IRS Code. Mississippi residents can officially register their support for the nationwide crusade without ever leaving their homes.

The 600,000-member National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) is accepting electronic petition signatures for its Campaign to Abolish the IRS Code.

NFIB. the nation's largest small-business advocacy organization, is calling on the president and Congress to sunset the current tax code by Dec. 31, 2000, and propose a simpler fairer tax code that lowers taxes and rewards work and savings.

NFIB will present the signatures to Congress as one million reasons to stop talking about the code and do something ab-

In addition to signing peti-tions circulated by dozens of volunteers throughout the state, concerned Mississippi citizens also can electronically sign a petition through a special web site or through a toll-free 888 number.

The campaign web site, http://www.not4irs.org, allows users to actually sign up over email. The site also provides instructions for encouraging friends and associates to sign the petition through e-mail. Supporters of the campaign also may officially register by calling 1-888-NOT4IRS.

"Unlike paying our taxes under the current, complicated 7 million-word tax code, we want to make it simple for people to sign a petition to sunset the current IRS Code," NFIB President Jack Faris said. "We want the tax code to work for and not against the people. Clearly, our message already has struck a chord with hundreds of thousands of Americans.'

Up through April 15, which the NFIB has designated na-tional "It's Our Money, Not THEIRS" Day the petition drive has collected more than 400,000 signatures. In addition, more than 120 U.S. senators and representatives, including the majority leaders of both houses. have signed a pledge promising

to do their best, as legislators, to abolish the current code. Although NFIB does not

promote any single tax reform plan, it does recommend specific steps for public debate, creation of alternative tax plans, public education about new proposals, and a national advisory referendum on the new tax

Free tax workshop

A free tax workshop for selfemployed people and small business owners will be held Tuesday, May 5 at the Gulf Coast Business Technology Center, 1636 Popps Ferry Road in

Registration and continental breakfast will be from 8:30-9 a.m. The presentation will be from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. There will be a break for lunch.

The workshop is offered by the IRS in conjunction with the Gulf Coast Business Technology Center and the USM Small **Business Development Center** as a public service to alert new and established business owners of their federal tax responsibilities.

Instructors will cover topics such as recordkeeping and ac-counting practices, federal tax deposit procedures, employee withholdings, business deductions and filing requirements. Practical exercise will teach small business owners how to determine taxable income and how to complete required tax forms.

Participants will also learn about the advantages and disadvantages of sole proprietor-ships, partnerships and corporations.

The workshop will also include highlights of the tax law changes, some information on EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System), Form 8300 (ash transactions over \$10,000). electronic filing of business re-turns, and other alternative ways of filing.

A question-and-answer segment will follow.

Those interested in attending the workshop should preregister by calling (228) 392-9742 as pace is limited. Directions may be obtained from the same numbers.

For information about future small business workshops in the area, contact the ITS Taxpayer Education office at (504) 558-3011.

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Judge Walter W. "Wes" Teel recently announced his candidacy for Chancery Court judge for Harrison, Hancock and Stone counties in the Nov. 3, 1998 election. Mr. Teel is a lifelong resident of Gulfport. He received his

juris doctorate degree from the University of Mississippi School of Law in 1975.

He has served as a family law master, special master, assistant district attorney, special assistant attorney general, Municipal Court prosecutor and Municipal Court judge in addition to actively practicing law within the counties served

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Aas, Ellen, speeding, fined

Allen, Rhonda, disorderly con-

duct, not guilty. Barhonovich, Christopher, con-

tempt of court, guilty, time served.

court, 6 months jail, suspended.

careless, not guilty.
Gauthreaux, Jaime, leaving scene of accident, fined \$249.

Hunter, Don, revoke suspended

Konsack, James, contempt of

Ladner, Janet, disorderly con-

duct, not guilty.

Ladner, Paul, driving under the

influence, 1st offense, not guilty.
Lambert, Jonathan, improper.
equipment; license tag expired,

Laneaux, Gregory, contempt of

McCall, Judith, speeding, fined

Myers, Debra, driver license,

none, expired, improper, fined \$46.50; speeding, fined \$46.50.

Necaise, Charles, speeding, fined \$54.50; seatbelt violation,

Owens, Terry, contempt of court;

Rowell, Charles, speeding, fined

Smith, Leanna, contempt of court, fined \$149.

Williams, Marquis, contempt of court, fined \$169.

Bailey, Hynes, permitting unauthorized driver, failed to appear.

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Anderson, Richard, improper

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Clark, James, speeding; driver

Desantis, Timothy, disorderly

license, none, expired, improper, failed to appear.

Coulon, Esther, speeding, fined

trespassing, simple assault, guilty,

none, improper, dismissed.

court, fined \$69.

sentence, failed to appear, Bench

court, guilty, 40 hours community

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Caillouet, Dameon, contempt of

Dale, Anthony, reckless driving-

by this Chancery Court district during his career.

The Chancery Court is unique in that it is dealing with cases which are not criminal in nature, but rather more personal, such as divorce, alimony, child custody, estates, sanity and minors' affairs. In his announcement for Chancery Court judge, Judge Teel stated, "The office of chancellor is demanding and requires an individual who is not only compassionate to the needs of the individuals who come before the court, but also one who maintains a thorough knowledge of the laws which deal with these

conduct, public drunk, failed to

appear.
Dinkens, Arthur, simple assault, fined \$149; public drunk, fined

Dixon, Germaine, minor gambling, fined \$299.
Edelen, David, public drunk,

Farve, Earl, license tag expired,

none, improper, dismissed. Feringa, Roger, public drunk,

failed to appear.
Foucha, Bryan, license tag ex-

pired, none, improper, dismissed. Frey, Chad, speeding, fined \$65.

Guy, Benjamin, speeding,

Harris, Charles, reckless

driving-careless, seatbelt violation,

improper lane usage, failed to

Jackson, Latoya, simple assault (domestic), fined \$179.50.

Jarrell, Paul, license tag expired, none, improper, dismissed; driver license suspended for DUI, fined

Knoblock, Gary, riding a passenger with no helmet, dismissed with

Lee, Anthony, speeding, failed to

appear. Linkey, Susanne, public drunk,

Patton, Chadwick, open container, public drunk, resisting ar-

rest, passed to the filed.
Perkins, Leonard, minor gam-

Russell, Lorraine, reckless

driving-careless, fined \$49.50.
Santa Cruz, Toribio, failure to dim lights, seatbelt violation, failed.

Saucier, Phillip, driver license, suspended, fined \$224.50. Shumski, William, public drunk,

guilty, time served. Sylve, Shantrell, speeding, fined

Thomas, Milton, bad checks, fined \$178.98.

Usher, Victoria, reckless driving-careless, failed to appear.
Watson, Kelly, driver license, suspended, fined \$224.50.

White, John, speeding, fined

Jackson, Michael, speeding,

Huff, Carol, speeding, failed to

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bling, fined \$299.



Judge Wes Teel

matters.

"Throughout my career as an attorney I have had the opportunity to not only practice law. but also serve my community through numerous appointments within our judicial system. I believe the experience I've gained on both sides of the bench over the past 20 plus years puts me in a unique position to serve as a Chancery Court judge for Harrison, Hancock and Stone counties."

Teel is actively involved in the Harrison County Bar Association, Mississippi State Bar, Mississippi Trial Lawyers Association, Mississippi Prosecutors Association and the Mississippi Municipal Judges Association.

Judge Teel has been married to the former Myrna Ladner for 26 years, and they are the parents of two sons.

He is an Eagle Scout and has served as "Den Dad" for the Cub Scouts as well as coach for Tball, baseball and soccer for the Orange Grove leagues.

He is a partner in the law firm of Meadows, Riley, Koenenn & Teel and has served as chairman of the Mississippi State Bar Family Law Committee as well as a member of the Mississippi State Bar Ethics Committee.

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The fourth annual "Building the Coast: Development and Financing Symposium" has been scheduled for Wednesday, April 29 at Grand Casino Biloxi's Bayview Hotel.

The informative day-long seminar - which benefits the newly-formed Gulf South Economic Research Center at USM Gulf Coast - will feature remarks on the following topics by some of the region's leading experts in economic and real estate development and banking/

• State of the Gulf Coast

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Jack Guynn, president and CEO of the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, will be the keynote luncheon speaker. Guynn will discuss the U.S. economy

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Whitney earns \$14.4 million

Whitney Holding Corporation, parent company of Whit-ney National Bank, announced first quarter 1998 earnings of \$14.4 million, or \$0.69 per share. In the first quarter of 1997, Whitney carned \$11.6 million, or \$0.56 per share before recognition of merger related expenses, and \$10.8 million, which is \$0.52 per share after such expenses.

For the first quarter of 1998, the company had a return on average assets of 1.36% and a return on average equity of 12.02%. At quarter end, the Whitney continued to show superior capital strength with a regulatory Tier 1 risk-based capital ratio of 15.22% a total risk based capital ration of 16.47%, a leverage ratio of 10.95%, and book equity to total assets of 11.32%.

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perience attractive loan growth with a 14.2% increase in averportfolio.

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and give a forecast for 1998. In addition, the symposium will highlight six leading indus-

Bank of Thibodaux, La., which

has \$234 million in assets, is

scheduled to conclude later this

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gers include the \$125 million

asset Louisiana National Sec-

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the \$117 million asset First Na-

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to conclude in the third quarter,

Whitney Holding Corporation, whose stock is traded on

the Nasdaq exchange (WTNY),

is the holding company for the wholly owned banking subsidi-ary Whitney National Bank,

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this four-state Gulf Coast reg-

ion including southern Loui-

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sissippi; Mobile, Montgomery, and the Alabama Gulf Coast;

and the Pensacola area of Flor-

ida. The Whitney, which has

been in continuous operation

since 1883, currently has assets

of approximately \$4.3 billion.

1998 quarterly results in-cluded \$500,000 in pre-tax

transaction related costs asso-

ciated with the pending merger with Hollywood Park, Inc. Ex-

clusive of those costs, net in-

come would have been approxi-

mately \$3.0 million or 8 cents

Casino Magic Corp., with principal offices in Bay St. Louis, operates gaming casinos, through subsidiaries, in Bay St. Louis and Biloxi, Bossier City,

La., Neuquen City and San

Martin de los Andes, Argentina.

per basic share.

0.30% of total loans, while total nonperforming assets were \$11.0 million or 0,25% of total assets, which represent decreases of 21.7% and 34.3%, respectively, from a year ago. The reserve for possible loan losses remains strong at \$41.4 million and 534% of nonaccruing loans. • The pending merger with Meritrust Federal Savings

In addition to the earnings

• The regular quarterly cash dividend was increased to \$0.30 per share of common stock which is a \$1.20 per share annual pate.

The bank continued to ex-

age loans between the first quarter in 1998 and the same period last year. As in past quarters, this growth occurred in virtually all sectors of the

ing loans were \$7.7 million or

prime examples of the thriving Gulf Coast economy. Represen-tatives from Wellman Inc., HAM Marine, Gulfshores Retirement Communities, Deer • Financing Real Estate De-Island Resort Development, Beau Rivage, and Crossroads Shopping Center will be on hand to update attendees on

their projects. "Forums like this are critical to give large and small businesses across the region a snapshot of the record pace of development on the Gulf Coast and an accurate forecast for the future," said Paul Richard, the Latter & Blum commercial and investment broker who con-

ceived the event four years ago and serves as the symposium moderator. Symposium registration is \$75 and includes all meals. The day begins with a continental breakfast at 7:30 a.m., followed by seminars form 8:30 a.m.-4:30

All proceeds to benefit the Gulf South Economic Research Center at USM Gulf Coast. To make reservations or receive information, call (228) 897-1122 or (800) 449-0454.

The fourth annual Building the Coast: Development and Financing Symposium is made possible by Bank of Mississippi, Coast Business, Gulf Coast Medical Center, Gulfport Factory Shops, Harrison County Development Commission, Nesal Engineering Services, Inc., Latter & Blum, Inc./Realtors, Mississippi Power, Mississippi Gulf Coast Convention & Visitors Bureau, Peoples Bank, South Trust



The Hancock County Cham-Tonistans Mississippi Alas series of seminars for area bu-bama and Florida.

The next seminar will be Thursday, April 30, 2-4 p.m. in the Conference Room at Mississippi Power, 300 Hwy. 90, Bay

St. Louis. The seminar is on "Safety in the Workplace." Instructor is Mike Dooley of the Metropolitan Safety Council. Topics include safety compliance issues; the bottom line for the cost of accidents with regard to workers' compensation and the impor-

The last 30 minutes will be a question and answer session. There is no fee, but preregistration is required.

For information or to pre-register, contact the USM SBDC at 865-4578 or the Hancock County Chamber at

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Joe LoBiondo

Magic adds LoBiondo to staff

Casino Magic Bay St. Louis has named Joe LoBiondo as player development manager. LoBiondo was most recently the general manager of a casino in northern Africa and has been in the gaming industry for 17 vears.

In addition, he was formerly assistant table games manager at New Palace Casino in Biloxi and casino shift manager at Isle of Capri in Biloxi.

His responsibilities include supervising internal player development for Casino Magic Bay St. Louis focusing on markets east of Bay St. Louis, such as the Biloxi-area, southern Ala-

bama and Florida. His primary objective is to capitalize marketing additional amenities to players such as The Bridges Golf Resort, fishing Bank and Mississippi Gulf charters, entertainment, dining Coast Chamber of Commerce. and hotel accommodations.

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Casino Magic reports first quarter results

Casino Magic Corp. (Nasdaq: net loss of \$3.7 million, or 10 CMAG) reported consolidated cents per basic share for the net revenues of \$72.2 million for same quarter in 1997. the first quarter ended March 31, 1998, compared to consolidated net revenues of \$65.8 million for the first quarter ended March 31, 1997. An increase of \$6.4 million or 9.75%.

Consolidated earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, amortization ("EBITDA"), were \$16 million for the quarter ended March 1998 compared to \$7 million for the quarter ended March 1997:

Casino Magic attributed the EBITDA improvement to higher revenues, coupled with improved operating margins at all of its operations, except for Biloxi where its new 378-room luxury hotel tower is under con-struction, and is scheduled to

open May of this year.
Consolidated net income for
the first quarter was \$2.5 million, or 7 cents per basic share
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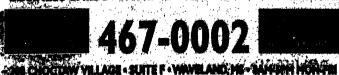
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Murder

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Anyone who might have seen the victims or Mrs. Winborn or who has any information are asked to call the Bay Police Department at 467-9221.

McNeil said he could release few details on the motive that might have provoked the attack, except that the Winborns and the seven-year-old son had been staying with Mrs. Buois.

He said an autopsy was being conducted on the victims, and Dr. Paul McGarry, a pathologist from New Orleans, was

called in to assist county cor-oner Norma Stiglet. Bob Burris with the Biloxi Police Department's crime lab was also called to the scene.

Bay Detectives Tom Burleson and Kevin Fayard are leading the investigation, and McNeil said he expected more of the story to unravel as the day

Although the crime scene was blocked off, some of the curious sat on curbings outside Cedar Rest's Cemetery across the street watching as police and

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detectives scurried in and out of the house.

Jeff Nancarius, who lives two houses away from the murder scene, said he recalls seeing Grady Winborn cutting the grass a few days ago.

The old lady was reclusive. and hardly ever came out of the house, but the people staying with her were always coming and going," he said.

McNeil said there had not been a murder in Bay St. Louis in the past three years.

Telecommunicators

Hancock County Sheriff's Office Telecommunicators were recognized with a party and also received coffee mugs, personalized with their names, and a sheriff's department patch in recognition of National Telecommunicators Week. Those in top photo are, from left, Charlie Otnott, Marie Byrd, Jamie Bordages, Janell Hirsch, Anita Fowler, Hope Proulx and Lisa Peneguy; center photo, Stacy Shaw Fowler, Hope Prouis and Lasa Peneguy; center photo, Stacy Snaw and Barbara Hermann; bottom photo, Ann Peneguy, Stella Broder, Amy Bourn, Monnaray Wingfield, Katenya Williams, Myra Rester and Jody Grice, Major Gloria Tartavoulle is the coordinator for the telecommunicators, who are the "lifeline" between deputies in the field and the general public. Not pictured are Janelle Piazza, Linda Coy and April Latapie. (Echo staff photos by Ellis C. Cuevas)



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priate action can be taken to address ongoing needs," Hector

She also suggested limiting the number of scholarships, interest-free loans through a local bank for those parents who pay tuition monthly, and support for "all POA board candidates who support Diamond-head Academy."

"As I have been forced to visit other schools, I leave feeling empty as I compare them with Diamondhead Academy," Hec-tor wrote. "This school offers' such a multitude of what parents are looking for in a

school." Cassis provided the PTO with financial figures and suggested in the future the PTO president attend all board meetings except when personnel is discussed.

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The PTO also elected an enrollment committee on Thursday night. A meeting with Jacqui Schorr of the PTO and the board is scheduled for Sunday to "discuss all expectations for both the executive board and the PTO," Schorr said.

Park

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missioners, other improve-ments have been made and are

in the planning stages.

Besides adding campsites, the county has built a new bath house that is handicapped accessible. Picnic tables are in the process of being repainted, and broken barbeque pits are being replaced. The fishing pier, da-maged in last fall's high water, is being repaired, and rental paddle boats are being refurbished.

Lee said he wants to continue adding camp sites, and it will be a lot easier now that the park is getting water from the Kiln Water and Fire District. The tie-in was made possible wit ments obtained before the road contract was let.

another boat launch area in the north section of the park, facing

Jimmy Lake to the west, and he'd like to build more covered pavilions. Besides camping, visitors come to the park to fish, play softball, go canoeing and boating, and use the picnic areas and covered pavilions for

Lee said when he took over two years ago there was a problem "with some hoodlums" coming into the park, "but, we have a handle on it now." He gives credit to his full-time staff of six. "I couldn't do my job without them," he said.

And, to ensure a safe season ahead, supervisors just recently issigned a part-time Sheriff's Deputy to help patrol McLeod Park on weekends and during busy holiday periods. Wildlife and Fisheries personnel also patrol the waters and enforce a

no wake zone. Lee said the bulk of visitors to McLeod Park continue to be locals and campers from Louisiana, but he has gotten inquir-

ies from all over the country. "This park is a diamond in the rough," said Lee. "The potential is unlimited. I'm enjoying the ride."

Lee said he wants to add Honored Continued from Page 1A

Paul D. Guichet, president of the Diamondhead Business & Professional Association, presented the Diamondhead Business of the Year award to Henry Burkardt, president and owner of Dictograph/Alarms Plus, Inc.

Johnny Richard, vice-president of the North Hancock County Business and Professional Association, presented the North Hancock Business of the Year honors to Rooster's Restaurant of Kiln to Mrs. Lee Lott and daughter Daphne. Mr. Lott was reported to be taking care of business.

Hal Walters, Port and Harbor Commission Executive Director, recalled how the Port and Harbor Commission came into being with the commission's first meeting held 35 years ago this month.

Walters, who introduced keynote speaker Jon B. Roth, Speical Assistant to the Director of NASA's John C. Stennis Space Center, said, "That the Port Bienville Industrial Park and Hancock County Air Park at the Stennis Airport have been selfsufficient for several years and receives no tax money for their operations."

Walters indicated even with the many jobs being provided that there are still more in the future at both of the facilities. Roth told about the economic impact of the space center and how it has grown during the past two years, and expects to have an increase for the current fiscal year.

Roth said the economic impact from the center within a 50-mile radius for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1997, was \$293 million. He indicated that if Stennis

Space Center had not been in operation in 1997, considering both direct and indirect effects. a conservative estimate of reduction in employment for the local area would be 17,349.

The economic study is performed annually by Dr. Charles Campbell, Associate Profession of Economics, Mississippi State University.

Admiral Barbour told about the Navy's expected continued growth at the test site located in Hancock County. He mentioned that the Navy's South East Regional Human Resource Service Center will be established at Stennis and Gulfport Oct. 1, adding 235 jobs to the economy.

All speakers indicated the economy of Hancock County should continue to grow in future years.

William C. Stovall, Port and Harbor Commission Deputy Director, made the introductions and Rev. Van Carpenter, pastor of the Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis gave the invocation.

Fordice calls for electric power deregulation

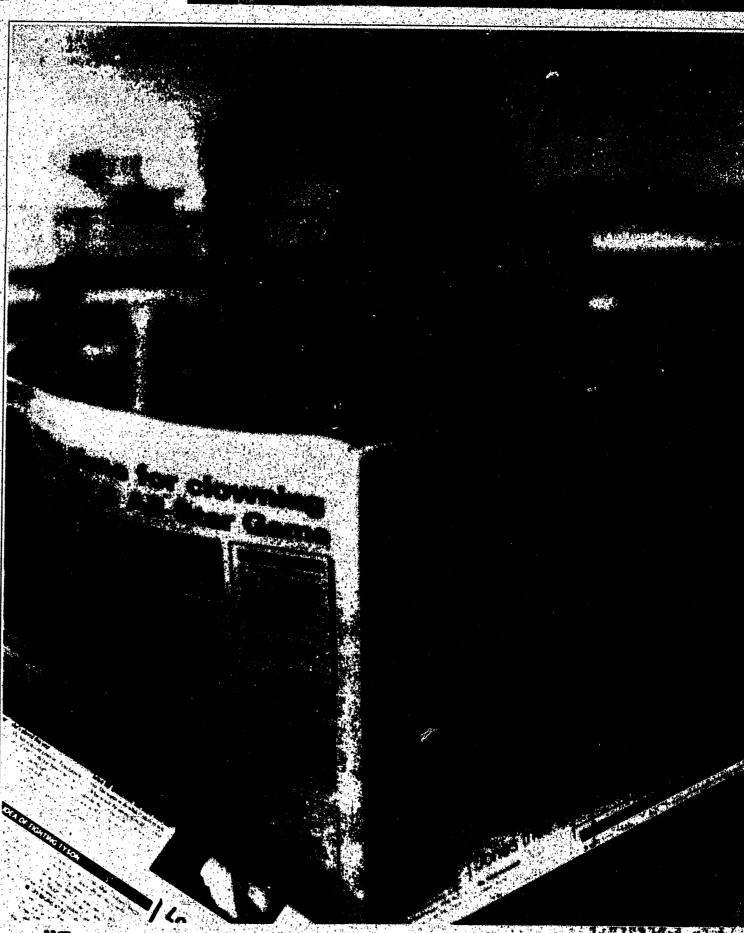
Governor Kirk Fordice called for increased efforts for electric power industry deregulation in Mississippi. A proposed transition plan issued by the Public Utilities Staff in 1997 is cur-rently being reviewed by the Public Service Commission.

"The Public Utilities staff issued a historic plan with a reasonable timetable for implementation of deregulation of the electric power industry. I am disappointed that the Public Service Commission has allowed this schedule to be sidetracked. We need to get back on the timetable and ensure lower electric power rates for Mississippi industry, retailers and

consumers.

"Competition is the power that drives the free enterprise system. Deregulation is no-thing we should fear. It will result in lower prices for consumers and help attract companies to locate in Mississippi," said

Energy Consumers for Choice in Mississippi estimate that with deregulation many residential consumers could save up to 40 percent and many commercial and some industrial users could expect 10 to 25 percent savings on electricity bills. For dice's remarks came during a speech to the Third Energy Forum in Jackson.



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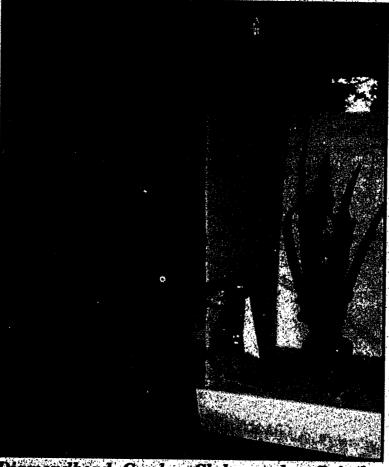
The Diamondhead Garden Club held its annual standard flower show in conjunction with their "day" of Spring Pilgrimage. The theme for the show was "Literary Classics." The weather cooperated and the hundreds of visitors were treated to a beautiful show.

Ten National Council of State Garden Clubs top awards were given, as well as 89 blue ribbons. These awards are given in shows that meet the criteria for a standard show as dictated by the NCSGC

In the Design Division, Henry Kibler won the "Designer's Choice" award for a design with mixed dried and fresh plant material, Brierley Acker won the "Tri-Color" award for a design with fresh plant material, and Bobbie Stephens won the "Petit" award for a miniature design. Other Garden Club members winning blue ribbons in design were Katie Knodle and Johnnie Boatright.

In the Horticulture Division, Gerri Garberg won the "Arboreal Award" in the tree and shrub category, Jean Eakin won an "Award of Merit" in the bulb category, Elaine Jones won an "Award of Merit" for an annual flower, and Kristin Alyea won an "Award of Merit" in the potted flowering plant category. Pat Shambra won the "Horticultural Excellence" award for a potted plant. Shambra also won the "Sweepstakes" award for the most blue ribbons.

Nancy Yarbourough won the "Education Award" for her special exhibit on planting and pruning.



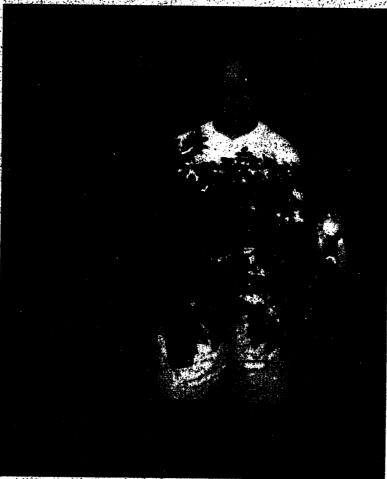
Diamondhead Garden Club member Brierley Acker won the Tri-Color Award for this design featuring Gladiola blooms and Iris leaves.



Honorary Diamondhead Garden Club member Henry Kibler stands next to his angular design, that won him the Designers Choice Award. The design was created with dried palm spathes, fresh azaleas, and painted wood dowels.



Bobbie Stephens, Diamondhead Garden Club Secretary and her Petit Award winning miniature design.



Gerri Garberg holds up her Arboreal Award winning Nandina. This was such a lush specimen it looked like the whole bush.



Jean Eakin loves her bulbs, and they love her back. She won an Award of Merit for this gorgeous yellow Dutch Iris.



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Diamondhead Garden Club member, and Award of Horticultural Excellence winner Pat Shambra next to her award winning entry. Shambra also won the Sweepstakes Award for winning the most blue ribbons.

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Monday - Chicken Pot Pie or Ham and Cheese on Bun with Trimmings, Turnip Greens, Blackeyed Peas, Cajun French Fries, Jello with Topping, Hot Roll. Tuesday — Lasagna or Chicken Fillet on Bun with Trimmings, Butterbeans, French Fries, Chocolate Pudding, Sliced Bread.

Offer variety to help picky eaters

By Amy Woolfolk MSU Ag Communications If preparing meals for a picky child means extra time in the kitchen, arguments and frustration, consider offering a variety of foods at meal time to please every eater.

"Every picky eater has different habits, so it is difficult to define the term," said Dr. Melissa Mixon, human nutrition specialist with Mississippi State University's Extension Service. "Picky eaters are identified, however, as people who refuse to eat a particular food or group of foods."

Mixon said offering a variety of healthy foods for meals or snacks can encourage picky eaters to try more foods.'

Most picky eaters are children," Mixon said: "If picky children are urged to eat a variety of foods, they usually will outgrow their dislikes. Adult picky eaters probably were not encouraged to try new things as children."

Do not cater entire meals to picky children. Mixon said pre-pare one dish the child likes and then ask them to eat what everyone else is eating.

A child only needs about onethird of what an adult eats," Mixon said. "Give children smaller servings than you think they can eat. They can always

ask for more."
The specialist cautioned parents not to force-feed picky

"Many children use their eating habits as a way of setting their own identify," Mixon said.
"Force-feeding could backfire and have a negative effect, Kids eat when they are hungry and stop when they are full."

If children prefer junk food to healthy foods, such as fruits and vegetables, reduce the amount of junk food in the house or offer it only in moderation. Mixon said to not use junk food as a reward for eating healthy food.

"If children like strawberry tarts, encourage them to eat fresh strawberries," Mixon said. "Offer plain cheese to children who like cheeseflavored chips or crackers."

Allowing children to help select foods in the grocery and to help prepare meals can create a sense of pride for them, Mixon said. Even the pickiest eaters will want to try new foods

if they helped prepare them. The specialist advised parents to set a good example for their children by eating the foods served and providing a pleasant dining setting.

"Parents can encourage kids to eat what is offered by doing so themselves," Mixon said. "Parents should not openly voice their dislike of foods."

Picky children benefit from an eating schedule. Mixon suggested trying to have meals at the same time each day. She also said the eating environment should be friendly.

"Keep conversation light and cheerful around the table," Mixon said. "If a child gets in trouble at school or has a problem, do not bring it up at meal time. Negative talk may cause a

picky eater to eat even less."

Picky children seldom risk serious nutritional problems.

Mixon said, As long as a child gets some foods from each food group, they should be fine. Realize there are different types of foods in each group.

Wednesday - Pepperoni and Cheese Pizza or Hamburger with Trimmings, Salad with French

Dressing, Buttered Corn, Cake with Vanilla Icing.
Thursday — Beefaroni or Hot Dog and Chili, Buttered Corn, Tater Tota, Strawberry Jello with Topping, Hot Roll.

Friday - Franks and Gravy or Cheeseburger with Trimmings, Creamed Potatoes, Buttered Peas,

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with Gravy or Soft Taco Supresse or Chicken Noodle Soup with Gillled Cheese Sandwich, Mashed Potatoes, Tossed Salad or Italian Green Beans, Peach Slices or Fruit Juice or Fruit, Yeast Rolls or Crackers. Thursday - Stromboli or Hamburger with Trimmings or Chicken and Sausage Gumbo with Rice, Spicy Fries, Broccoli Salad, Fruit Cocktail or Strawberry Fruit Gelatin, Crackers, Cake with Topping. Friday - Steak Nuggets or Corn Dog or Tuna Fish with Crackers,

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albert Breath IV

Katherine Michelle Cuevas and Charles Albert Breath IV, both of Bay St. Louis, were united in marriage February 21, 1998 in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church in Bay St. Louis with the Rev. Peter Mockler officiating. Organist was Ed Gerkowski.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Cuevas of Bay

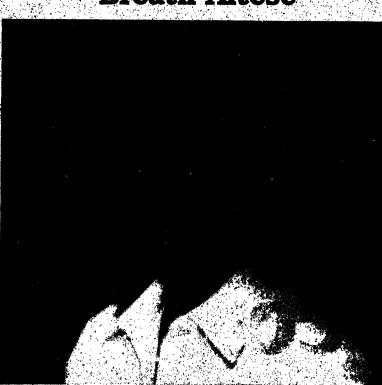
Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Breath III of Bay St. Louis.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Maid of honor was Ana Maria Scafidi of Galveston Texas. Best man was Dr. John G. Lazzara of St. Louis, Mo. Ushers included Joseph Cuevas, brother of the bride, and Vince Altese Jr.

A reception followed the ceremony at Armands' in Waveland. A rehearsal party was hosted in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Breath III.

After a honeymoon trip to the Southern Caribbean, the couple will reside in Bay St. Louis.

Breath-Altese



Karen Emilie Breath

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albert Breath III of Bay St. Louis announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Karen Emilie Breath, to Vincent Robert Altese Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Robert Altese Sr. of Diamondhead.

The bride-elect is a 1990 graduate of Our Lady Academy and a

1994 graduate of the University of Mississippi where she earned a bachelor of business administration degree. She was a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority and is presently employed with ExecuTrain Corporation in New Orleans as a senior account manager,

The prospective groom is a 1991 graduate of St. Stanislaus and received a bachelors of landscape architecture degree from Missis-

sippi State University.

The marriage will take place May 16, 1998 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic church in Bay St. Louis.

USM offers health and safety certification

The University of Southern first aid).

Mississippi and the American — Comm Red Cross are offering four certification courses through the Mississippi Health and Safety Institute May 18-24.

Participants can get instrucduring daily class sessions from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. at USM's Payne

Three of the courses have an academic credit option for human performance and recreation majors. Students who are enrolled for the summer semester may include these as part of their courseload.

Courses include: -Red Cross Water Safety Instructor and Lifeguard Training provides instructor candidates with skills needed to teach all American Red Cross

swimming courses.

— Red Cross Lifeguarding Instructor, Lifeguard Training, Waterfront Lifeguarding and Waterpark Lifeguarding provides instructor candidates with skills required to teach Lifeguard Training (including

Community First Aid and Safety / CPR for the Professional Rescuer Instructor enables participants to train individuals in all first aid/CPR courses.

To enroll in any of the tor or basic skills certification courses, applicants must be at least 17 years old, in sound physical condition and possess advanced swimming skills, depending on the course level.

Costs for non-credit courses are \$240 for students staying overnight or \$190 for commuters. They include tuition, instruction, meals, course materials and overnight accommodation.

The American Red Cross will also offer a Sports Safety Training Clinic for youth coaches and CPR/First Aid instructors at the Payne Center, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. May 23. Costs for course materials and lunch are \$20. Enrollment is limited to 40 participants.

Registration deadline is May

For information, call (601) 266-4186.

BIRTHS PATRICK JOHN KELLY JR. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick John Kelly of Slidell announce the birth of

a son, Patrick John Jr., April 8, 1998 at NorthShore Regional Medical Center in Slidell. Mrs. Kelly is the former Nancy Shiyou.

ARIEL EVONNA DAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Day of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their second child, Ariel Evonna, April 10, 1998 at 8:13 a.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis. She weighed 7 pounds.

Mrs. Day is the former Anna Phillips. Maternal grandparents are William and Francis Phillips of Bay

St. Louis. Paternal grandparents are Jimmy Day of Mineola, Texas and Rebekah Bennett of Bay St. Louis.

Great-grandparents include Lavera Lane, Ruth Day and Mildred Faulkner. Ariel is welcomed by her brother Alexander.

USM alumni director steps down

Ron Phillips, the University of Southern Mississippi's director of alumni affairs for more than a decade, will retire at the end of June. USM officials said. Phillips; 51; announced to His? staff earlier in the week he plans to retire effectively June 30. He did not disclose his fu-

ture plans.
USM Vice President Curt Redden said an interim alumni director would be named June 30 to replace Phillips, pending a national search to fill the position permanently.

"My preference is to hire a USM graduate," said Redden, who became USM's first vice president for advancement March 1.

"Ron accomplished much in the area of fund-raising and winning friends for the univer-sity," said Redden. "One of his most significant accomplishments was to involve the alumni in attracting top students, particularly in the Hattiesburg area."

Phillips was named USM alumni director Oct. 10, 1987, by a special university search committee after having served

as assistant director since 1981. He succeeded longtime USM Alumni Director Powell Oglet-ree, who retired Oct. 31, 1987, after serving in that position and as secretary of the USM Foundation for 34 years.

Phillips, who graduated from high school in Jackson, Ala., majored in radio, television and film during his undergraduate studies at USM. He graduated in 1969 with a bachelor's degree in communications, minoring in public address. Active in student affairs, Phillips also served as student manager of

Campus Radio Station WMSU. Phillips joined the Alumni Association as a field represen-

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blood type.
All donors who are at least 17 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds, and have not donated in the past 56 days are encouraged to come and support the community blood drive.

For information on how to donate blood, host a blood drive or volunteer, for American Red Cross, call 1-888-432-5663. To make an appointment to donate on April 23, call Coast Electric at 467-6535.



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Take Off Pounds Sensibly

TOPS WAVELAND 233 TOPS MS 233 Waveland met Tuesday, April 14 at the Waveland Public Library, Judy was the week's best losers with 5 pounds. Debbie was the week's best KOPS losers. Bey was contest winner. The Incentive Award was won by Pat, and the prize was won by Rose. Karen presented a program on low-calorie diet.

TOPS MS 233 meets every Tuesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 5-5:45 p.m. with the meeting following.

Anyone interested in losing weight the sensible way and maintaining that weight loss is welcome to visit the TOPS chapter, Interested persons are invited to call Charlotte at 467-5790.

TOPS 233 had two first place division winners at SRD (State Recognition Day). Kathy Estapa won first place in Division 5. Karen Niolet won first place in Division 4.

Kathy also graduated from TOPS to KOPS and was the queen of the chapter. There were also contests for best banner and best alien. The club placed second in both. Estapa was recognized for being in KOPS for four years.

AARP Chapter 1114

The Hancock County AARP Chapter 1114 will meet Monday, April 20 at 10 a.m. at the American Legion Post 77 on Coleman Avenue in Waveland.

Guest speaker will be Tim Foley, coordinator of external communications for Mississippi Power with slides of flags of America. Members thank Waveland Police Officers Hearty, Lick and Lochen and Bay St. Louis Officer Denham and their K9 Corps for the 'Safety for Seniors' program.

Hancock Women's Club

The Hancock Women's Club met April 9 at Annie's restaurant. President Niver welcomed 35 members and two guests, Frances Wolfe and Joan Wilkinson.

Margie Thompson, ways and means chairman, announced a future vote on the annual silent auction and Christmas raffle. Birthday corsages were presented to Jackie Bufkin, Rosary Ehle and Irene Johnston.

Lois Cripple advised the next meeting will be May 14 at the Holiday Inn in Waveland.

Money and canned goods were collected for the food pantry, The raffle for the complimentary lunch was held, and Frances Wolfe was the winner.

Niver announced tentative plans for a social in September to be hosted by Lorraine Townsend. This would be held on a Sunday afternoon, and husbands are invited. An invitation to the Art Exhibit May 14 was read. The event

takes place 4-6 p.m., and members have artworks on exhibit. Game Day will be April 22 at 11 a.m.

Diamondhead Garden Club

The Diamondhead Garden Club meeting will be May 20 at 11 a.m. in the Community Center. Members are asked to bring finger food and a friend to the end-of-year luncheon. The Cathy McFaull Memorial Garden at the Country Club will be dedicated after the meeting.

Club members thank Margaret Williamson, Pilgrimage chairman, and all who volunteered to help make the Diamondhead Pilgrimage and Flower Show a success. Special thanks to Patrick LaNasa, Martha Campbell and the Diamondhead Academy sixth grade class for their presentations and work on the Nature Trail.

Garden-of-the-Month recipients include:

Commercial Award: The Oaks Association Golf Couse Garden: Til and Chuck Garrison, 7720 Puna Place, No. 1 Pine

Garden-of-the-Month: Dottie Hirsch, 89835, Diamondhead

Blue Jeans Garden Club

The Blue Jeans Garden Club March 19 meeting was at the home of Beverly Coogan with Gloria Burke as co-hostess.

President Thelma Expicous opened the meeting, and Gloria

Burke recited a prayer. Secretary Bev Coogan called the roll and read last month's minutes. Treasurer Phil Lagasse gave the financial report. A check for \$75 was sent to the Hancock Special Olympics to sponsor five people. In May of 1998 the club will celebrate its 50th birthday. A discus-

sion was brought up on how to celebrate the occasion. Points were earned by Mattie Garcia, cultivated; Thelma Exnicous, dried; Alice Brechnel, horticultural; Phil Lagasse, miniature;

The half/half was won by Jennie Ortis, the door prize by Betty

Take Off Pounds Sensibly

TOPS WAVELAND 307

TOPS Chapter MS 307 Waveland met Wednesday, April 15 at the Waveland Public Library. Eleven members were present. Patwas the week's best loser with 21/2 pounds.

Members are working on the Exchange Contest and are reminded to drink eight eight-ounce-glasses of water per day and eat from the five basic food groups. Rhonda won the Easter egg contest with a total of 29 eggs

earned. Rhonda will present the program next meeting. TOPS' web address is http://www.tops.org log on for loads of into. The weight loss chapter promotes enthusiasm, recognition,

understanding and encourages sensible eating habits. Anyone interested is welcome to join. The chapter meets every Wednesday at the Waveland Public Library. Weigh-ins are from 4:45-5:30 p.m. with the meeting

following. Anyone interested in losing weight the sensible way and/or maintaining weight loss is welcome to visit the chapter. Call Ruth at 466-9880 for information.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly

Tips on how to Walk This Way" If you're not already walking outdoors for enjoyment and fitness, April is a great month to start.

If you're not used to walking outdoors, here are some pointers to keep in mind.

Several lightweight layers (windbreaker, long-sleeved shirt) are more versatile than one heavy outer layer. As you warm up to your stroll, or conditions change, you can peel or add clothing as needed. Protect from overexposure to the sun.

Use sunscreen, sunglasses and a cap or visor whenever

Choose a route that suits your ability, If you're used to walking indoors at the mall, for example, don't tackie a steep, hilly route your first day outdoors. Work up to those hills gradually.

Be aware of your surroundings. Not only does this increase your sense of personal safety, it also makes the walk more interesting. A change of scenery can work wonders for your exercise motivation.

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Tandy Technology Scholars announces prize recipients

We created Tandy Technol- of educators and approved by ogy Scholars nine years ago to encourage excellence and competition in mathematics, since and computer science," said John V. Roach, CEO and chairman of the board of Tandy Corporation, as he announced the recipients of awards totaling

This is the ninth year of the program that is the largest single awards program to honor both students and teachers.

Nearly 83 percent of all secondary schools in the United States are enrolled in the prestigious education initiative. Tandy Technology Scholars has awarded more than \$3 million and 300,000 certificates of academic excellence.

The program is open to all accredited high schools in the United States. Tandy prize reci-pients were selected by a panel

SSC junior high students place in math tournament

St. Stanislaus junior high students took part and placed in the schoolwide Mississippi Council of Teachers Junior High Math Tournament,

Eight grader Ryan Veach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Veach of Diamondhead, placed first; eighth grader Sherwin Leung, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pun Hing Leung of Long Beach, placed second; seventh grader

Padrick Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dennis of Gulfport, placed first; and seventh grader Kunal Patel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kantu Petal of Dia-

the National Advisory Council.

computer science teachers receiving certificates are Nancy

Stravinsky, Bay High School; Brian L. Fitch and Melinda Alice Miller, both of Hancock

Outstanding math/science/

computer science students re-ceiving certificates are Rachel

Nicole Spear, Bay High School; Margaret Jane Harris, Our

Lady Academy; and Brent Joseph Necaise, Hancock High

In the top 2 percent, receiving

certificates, are Kimberly Lat-

rice Jackson and Rachel Nicole

Spear, both of Bay High School; Patches Yvonne Fricke, Mary

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Munsch and Brent Joseph Necaise, all of Hancock High School.

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mondhead, placed second. The junior high students, under the guidance of Brother Ronald Talbot, SC, principal, will now compete in the district contest at Pearl River Community College.



OLA students honored

OLA recipients of the Pepsi Student of the Month Award are, from left, senior Jessica Keller and eighth grader Megan Hunter for January; and Chantel Norman, eighth grade, for February.

USM recognizes area students at Awards Day ceremony

Eighty-nine Gulf Coast students were recognized during the University of Southern Mis-sissippi's annual Awards Day

Students at the afternoon ceremony in Bennett Auditorium were honored with more than 650 awards, scholarships and other kudos. Students from Bay St. Louis

and their honors were: - Frederick Herlihy Asher, 22, a senior microbiology major, son of Terrence and Kathleen Asher, received recognition in Who's Who Among American

Colleges and Universities.

- Jessica Compretta, 20, a junior exercise physiology major, daughter of Bobby and Karen Compretta, Gamma Sigma Alpha Honor Society.

– J. Hannah Erwin, 20, a senior speech pathology major, daughter of Jake Erwin and Charlotte Ladner, Gamma Sigma Alpha Honor Society. — Julie Ann Heitzmann, 19,

a junior biochemistry major, daughter of Jerry and Debbie Heitzmann, J. R. Pratt Departmental Platinum Scholarship; Gamma Sigma Alpha Honor Society; Phi Kappa Phi.

– Shelia Kosbab, 20, a junior chemistry major, daughter of Richard Kosbab and Wendy and Alpha Honor Society.

— Dianne E. LaFontaine, 31, a senior special education major, Department of Special Education's Academic Achievement.

Deane Kay Miller, 48, a graduate nursing major, wife of Wayne Miller, National Collegiate Nursing Award.

From Lakeshore, Donna Jean Wahl, 34, a senior elementary education major, wife of Doug Wahl, received member-ship in the Phi Kappa Phi

Honor Society. From Pass Christian, James Beau Wilkinson, 21, a senior economics major, son of Deborah Caldwell, was named a Cornelius and Vera Burns Scholar.

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OLA Pepsi Students

Our Lady Academy students were recognized as Pepsi Students of the Month. Chosen for the January Students of the Month Award are, from left, Roxanne McCullough, sophomore; Connie Balentine, junior; Ashley Roth, freshman; and Emily Meyers, eighth grade.



February Pepsi Students

Students from Our Lady Academy chosen as the February Pepsi Students of the Month are, from left, Tehra Cuevas, freshman; Aimee Boudreaux, junior; Georgmanie Moore, senior; Katy Kenedy, sophomore; and Vanessa Johnson, seventh grade.



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Scouts named award winners

Girl Scouts from Bay St. Louis, Diamondhead and Waveland gathered at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church recently to receive spe cial religious awards.

The girls attended a work-shop held at Bay Catholic in February where leaders under the direction of Jean Longo guided the Scouts through special activities outlined by the G.S. National Religious Awards Program.

The Daisy Scouts learned about St. Therese, who is often called the Little Flower of Jesus. The Daisies learned that they are like flowers in God's garden, all different but all special to God. They also learned that although they are small they can still talk to God and help others in their own ways. The girls who received the I Am A Flower In God's Garden Award were Elizabeth Currie, Sarah Haas, Jamie Jelinski and

Abigail Simpson. A group of Brownies participated in The Child of Mary Program. The program is designed to help Brownies become more aware of God's presence in their daily lives. The Scouts who earned the Child of Mary Award were Brittney Ladner and Amelia Simpson.

Two other groups of Scouts participated in the workshop and were recognized during the mass, however they will receive their awards from the bishop at the cathedral this summer.

The Brownies who completed the Family of God Program learned how God is present in their daily lives, especially their family and parish. Candidates who were recognized were Alyece Brogle, Mary Chilimi-gras, Stephan Haas, Rycki Haas, Jessica Jelinski, Kimberly Kolb, Christina Murphy, Kaydee Patterson, Audra Puf-fer and Danleigh Ramsel.

The Juniors participated in the I Live My Faith Program which enabled the Scouts to grow as Christian persons and showed them how to take their places as active responsible members of their families, parish, troop and community.

The candidate who was recognized for that award was

PRCC summer orientation July 6-9

munity College have announced the dates for its 1998 summer orientation session for new students.

Some 1.000 new students and their parents attended PRCC's orientation session last summer.

New student summer orientation dates for 1998 are: July 6: Students living in Hancock, Jefferson Davis and Marion counties

July 7: Students living in Forrest and Lamar counties July 8: Students living in 795-1317 or 795-1318.

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July 9: Open date for stu-dents who could not attend on their specific date and students living out of state.

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will help students with their personal adjustment to college and help their parents and families understand the adjustments which college freshmen must make," said Dr. Becky Askew, PRCCs director of guidance, recruitment and

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Award winners

Girl Scouts receiving their religious awards from Father Tron are, front row from left, Daisy Scouts Abigail Simpson, Sarah Haas, Elizabeth Currie and Jamie Jelinski; second row, Brownie Scouts Brittney Ladner, Rycki Haas, Stephan Haas, Mary Chilimigras, Audra Puffer, Jessica Jelinski, Amelia Simpson and Kaydee Patterson; back row, Brownie Scouts Alyece Brogle, Danleigh Ramsel and Father Tron.

Mississippi Junior Duck Stamps **Conservation Program winners**

Woodie Harmon II, a student at Northwest Rankin High School in Brandon is the winner of the Best of Show award in 1998 Mississippi Junior Duck Stamp art competition.

Harmon's colored pencil drawing of a wood duck will be forwarded to the Federal Duck Stamp office to compete with all state winners for the national first, second and third place

Harmon's artwork was submitted by his art teacher, Melanie Beene.

The contest is sponsored in Mississippi by the Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks and the Museum of Natural Science. Judges included Sam Beibers, wildlife artist; Robert Jones, PhD, museum biologist; Karen Dierolf, museum wet-lands educator; and Tom Williams, PhD, Mississippi College.

Artwork was judged in categories of grades K-3, 4-6, 7-9 and 10-12. Ribbons were given for first, second and third places. More than 350 pieces of artwork representing 19 different schools from throughout Mississippi were entered in the

First, second and third place artwork in each category will be available for public viewing at the Museum of Natural Science. 111 North Jefferson Street, Jackson, now through April 30. For information, call 354-7303.

Area award winners are Tyler Gallagher, Pass Christian Middle School, second place; and Paul James Dysart, St. Stanislaus, second place.

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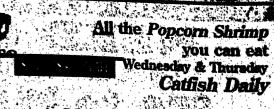
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nist American paintings and

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Collection. Included are Ameri-

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The 15th annual Arts and the Lila Wallace Gallery of the Creative Crafts Show at Diamondhead will be Saturday, Sept. 26, 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 27, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. on the Country Club Circle and grounds.

More than 150 booths will be set up with hand-made crafts and multi-media art works for

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For information, contact Brierley Acker, 5610 Ahuli Place, Diamondhead, MS 39525, (228) 255-2697; or Linda Wallace, 22510 Fox Run Drive. Pass Christian, MS 39571, Pass Unrisum., (601) 452-2200.

Art class

Susan Sichek will be coming ration of 'American Painting May 19 for an all-day class at Personal Touch. Selections from the Wichita Art

She is famous for her Louisiana swamp scenes and French quarter art.

Horn Island workshop. Artists at all levels, ages 18 and above, are invited to participate in the annual Horn Island Workshop, sponsored June 3-7 by the George E. Ohr Arts and Cultural Center.

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WAMA exhibition The Walter Anderson Mu-

seum of Art will host the "Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts 50th Anniversary Traveling Collection Exhibi-tion" now through April 15.

The exhibition, on loan from the Arrowmont School in Gatlingburg, Tenn., features one of the finest collections of contemporary arts and crafts produced by the artisans on faculty.

A wide variety of media, including painting, drawing, stoneware, ceramics, woodcarv-ings and textile arts wil be on display.

Also on display will be "A Cottage Industry: Arts and Crafts in the Home of Walter Anderson," an installation of the many domestic works Anderson created as a proponent of the nation's rich Arts and Crafts Movement. The museum will also offer

gallery walks for members and the public, free art workshops and a discussion as part of the ArtTalks Lecture Services based on the exhibition.

For details, call (228) 872-3164. Tours should be scheues defining American art — rugged individualism, natural duled at least two weeks in advance.

The museum is located at 510 Washington Avenue, Ocean 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday, 1-5

Springs. Hours are Mon.-Sat..

Hillyer House Hillyer House March exhibits include "Beaches." watercolors by Jo Patten of Alabama; "Cobalt," glass by Blenko of West Virginia; "Mermaids," scultpured pottery by Connie Mickle of Florida; and Museum Jewelry Collection by Shashi

Singapuri of California.
The collection is on display and for sale. Hours are 10-5 Monday-Saturday, 12-5 Sunday. Hillyer House is located 207 East Scenic Drive in Pass Christian, (228) 452-4810.

Submissions to Artin' About should be sent to The Sea Coast Echo, P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520. Notices will be edited and published on a space-available basis.

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Internet 101 seminar scheduled

Internet 101, a workshop on Internet basics, will be held Tuesday, April 21 at 7 p.m. in the Seal Meeting Room of the Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Library. Cosponsored by the library and Datasync Inc., the seminar will be a repeat of the first seminar presented last October.

"Your Libraries Reach Out is the theme for this year's observation," said David Woodburn, "and we felt that many people need the basics again about what you need to connect to the Internet, what is the Internet. and other questions."

The seminar is free to anyone who wishes to attend, and participants may be inexperienced or

those contemplating getting on the Internet, or to those just curious about the Internet. At-tendees may or may not have existing access to the Internet.

Sessions run between two or three hours. Each session is accompanied by hand-out materials. Datasync is an Internet ser-

vice provider headquartered in Biloxil They are the largest Internet access provider in the region, and Arthur Allard, the Internet Man from Datasync, will conduct the sessions.

For information, contact David Woodburn, Bay St. Louis-Hancock County Public Library, 467-5282 or Arthur Al-

experienced Internet users, to lard at Datasync Inc. at (601)

exhibit

The Mississippi Homemaker Volunteers will hold their annual Cultural Arts Exhibit Thursday, April 23, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Extension Office, 3064 Longfellow Drive.

The public is invited to A bake sale and plant sale are

also planned. Door prizes and light refreshments will be

Carey concert series

The William Carey College of Music will present a series of concerts as part of its 1998 Summer Guitar Festival May 20-June 5 in the Smith Auditorium in the Thomas Fine Arts Building on the Hattiesburg

campus. The Winners Concert, consisting of the winners of the Collegiate Guitar Competition, will be Saturday, May 30 at 8 p.m. Admission is free.

Dr. Miroslay Loncar, assistant professor of music and artist in residence, and Natasa Klasinc, classical guitarist, will present a duo performance Sun-day, May 31 at 8 p.m. Zeke Guin, the first graduate

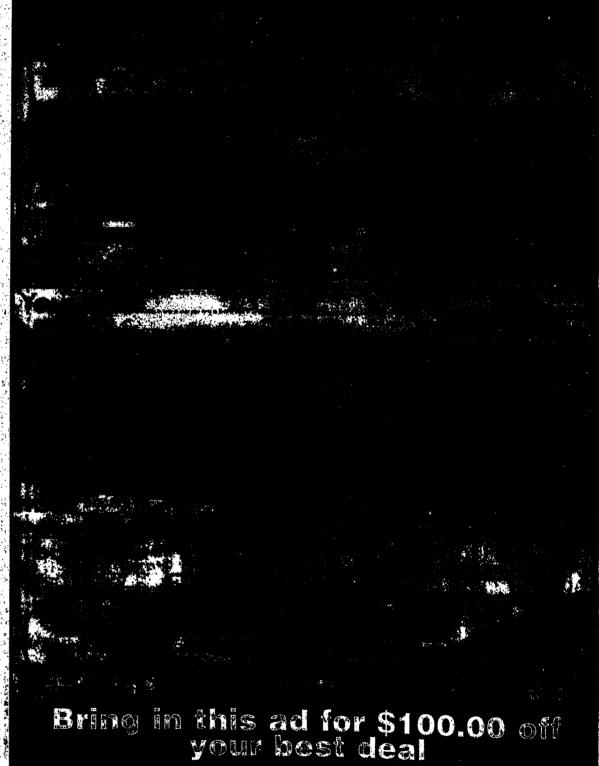
of WCC's music department's guitar program, will perform Monday, June 1 at 8 p.m. Price of admission for both concerts is

Michael Patilla will perform Tuesday, June 2, and the WCC Guitar Department will pre-sent a concert Wednesday, June 3. Admission is \$5. German classical guitar vir-tuoso Gerd Wuestermann will

perform Thursday, June 4. Wuestermann, who has been called Germany's greatest gai-tarist, has won many of the world's most significant music competitions in Munich, Tokyo, Spain and the United States. Admission is \$5.

held Friday, June 5 at 4 p.m. Admission is free. The public is

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PRCC contributions

Pearl River Community College thanked its major contributors during a River Magic Appreciation Dinner in Poplarville recently. The PRCC Development Foundation sponsored the event which honored members of its top two gift levels, The Magic Makers and The River Navigators. The River Navigators — those making an annual contribution of at least \$1,000 but less than \$10,000 per year — recognized included American Legion Auxiliary Unit 77 of Waveland, represented by Patricia Lepine and Jack Doyle, right. Lewis Murray, chair of the Development Foundation, made the

Free Internet seminars

Datasync, the Coast's largest and oldest Internet service provider, in participation with libraries in Harrison, Jackson and Hancock counties, announces the availability of a series of free Internet seminars open to the public.

All seminars start at 7 p.m. Radio talk show host Art Allard, also known as "The Internet Man," is the instructor and presenter at the seminars.

Attendees are encouraged to bring notepads and pencils, since there are no handouts available at the seminar.

Attendees are encouraged to call the local library for information and reservations about any of the seminars.

Reservations recommended. Locally the following semi-

nars will be conducted: April 20, 103, St. Martin Library April 21, 101, Bay St. Louis

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Culinary Arts Academy board named

A 15-member advisory board has been named for the Culinary Arts Academy on the Gulf Coast campus of the University of Southern Mississippi.

The team of professionals from all areas of the food industry will "help the academy reach its full potential and keep it firmly grounded with food industry perspectives," said Katherine Lochridge, CAA director.

The academy is a professional-based program offering both certificate and diploma options in daytime and evening classes during 12-week sessions.

Named to the board were Dr. Jane Boudreaux, interim dean of the USM College of Health & Human Services; Andrew Bourland, director of communication for Beau Rivage Casino in

John Cannon, sales division vice president for Arrow Sysco in Jefferson, La.; Mike Cashin, executive director of the Mississippi Restaurant Association in Jackson; Ronald J. Cockayne, president and CEO of dining systems for MMI Hotel Group

and Dining Systems in Jackson; Devra Dedeaux, executive direstaurant & Beverage Association in Biloxi; Howard Geiselman, assistant dean of the even-ing college at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College's Jefferson Davis campus in Gulf-port; Bob Jenkins, Mississippi Power Company marketing

representative; Warren LeRuth, of LeRuth & Associates in Pass Christian; Robert Lower, director of USM Food Services; Steve Richer, executive director of the Mississippi Gulf Coast Convention & Visitors Bureau in Gulfport; Jamie Sablich, president and

CEO of Newman's Restaurant Supply in Biloxi; Bill Sanderson, director of marketing for Sanderson Farms in Laurel; Debbie Turman, director of food service and marketing for Bryan Foods in West Point; and Michael Williams, segment specialist for exclusive brands with Alliant Foodservice in Jackson.

Teacher conservation workshop

Teachers can explore the forest and earn academic credit at the same time. By attending one of this year's Teacher Con-servation. Workshops, school teachers and other educators can have fun in the outdoors and learn environmental edu-

cation techniques.

The first session will be offered June 7-12 at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College in Perkinston. The second is June 21-26 at Northeast Com-munity College in Booneville. Participants can earn three

hours of undergraduate or graduate credit from coperating

Food and lodging are furn-ished by MFA. Participants pay a \$35 registration fee that includes T-shirt and course material. University credit is an

additional fee.

Deadline for applications is
June 1 for the first session and
June 15 for the second session.

Space is limited.

For information, contact Eleana Pope at MFA: 601-354-4936 (620 N. State Street, Suite 201, Jackson, MS 39202-3398).

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dustry Board. "When you can put a face on the industry and show consumers that beef producers are their friends and neighbors, it builds trust not only in the person but also the product."

Efforts to improve attitudes toward cattle producers are paying off. As part of an ongoing

research project funded by the beefindustry, Peter D. Hart Research Associates in 1997 found that two-thirds (65 percent) of adults felt favorably toward cattle ranchers and farmers -7

points higher than in 1994. The most often cited reason. people admire cattlemen and women is their dedication to their job. Among other reasons cited are the good care they give their animals and the fact that they provide food for the United States and the world.

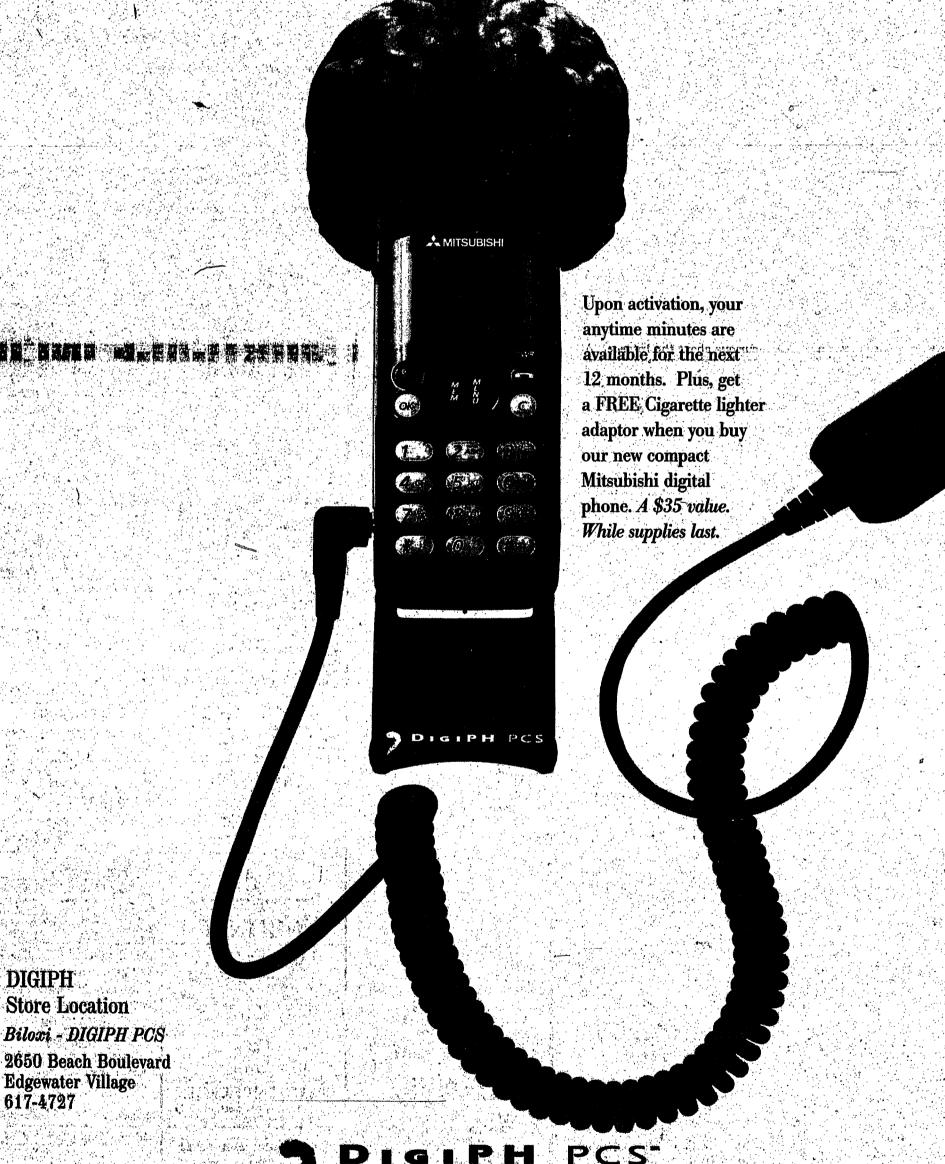
"Building confidence in the people that provide our food supply is important," says Newsome. "Thanks to Hancock County beef producers, we can continue to do that."

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The "WORD" for the Week

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Jesus exhorts, "Strive to enter the narrow door; for many, I tell you, will seek to enter and will not be able" (Luke 13:24). Does Jesus know what He is talking about? A lot of people don't think so. "I want to go to hell with my friends," they say. The problem is that they really don't believe in hell. They aren't worried about going to heaven either. They think God, if He exists, is a greatgrandfather in the sky. He would never close the doors of heaven, if it exists, against people like them. Jesus again warns, "The way is broad that leads to destruction,

and many are those who enter by it" (Matthew 7:13). People on the broad way have bought into popular views such as 'safe sex.' They are in a self-destruct mode. If AIDS doesn't get them in this life, a frightful eternity awaits them in the life to come.

Christianity may appear much too narrow. It demands turning

Methodist service today

Ann Steinaway, chairman of Membership, Nurture and Outreach for the Mississippi Conference of the United Methodist Women, will be guest speaker today at a joint session of the Sunday School Department and the 11 a.m. worship service at Main Street United Methodist Church in Bay St. Louis.

Following a light breakfast at 9:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Building, the United Methodist Women will host a joint session of the Sunday School Department with a special presentation given by Steinaway, who is both an enthusiastic and gifted speaker. The event, titled "Jonah and Prayer," is geared toward children and fun for the entire family.

In honor of Methodist Women Sunday, Stainaway's program at the 11 a.m. worship service is entitled "Roots . . . who we are." This informative special will define the United Methodist Women, the purpose of the organization and the everyday role of women in the

Steinaway, along with her duties as chairman of Member-

ship, Nurture and Outreach, is also a certified lay speaker. In the short time that Steinaway has been a resident of Mississippi, she has taken an active part in traveling the state and educating women and churches about how the United Methodist Women can develop local units, increase membership and continue to support the current membership. United Methodist Women's primary concerns are women and children. As an extension of this role,

Steinaway has enlisted the members of the United Methodist Women in the Mississippi Conference to create baby blankets that can be used as "banners" for this year's conference in October.

After the conference, the baby blankets will be donated to shelters and other community agencies for distribution to families in need. The community is invited to

attend, and a nursery is available during the worship service. The church is located 162 Main Street, Bay St. Louis.

For information, contact the church office at 467-4538.

Discovery Center asks for volunteers

The Lynn Meadows Discovery Center opens May 17 (with grand opening ceremonies May 16) and all exhibits, the Discovery Store and reception area will be staffed completely with volunteers.

Approximately 65 volunteers are needed each week. Preferably, each volunteer will commit to at least one 4-8-hour shift each week. Each volunteer will be trained throughout the museum and will work with children, teachers and parents in these exhibit areas.

If you would like to discuss a

volunteer position, call the Discovery Center at (228) 897-6039 for information and an application. The Lynn Meadows Discov-

ery Center for Children is a hand-on discovery museum for young people, their families and schools, providing exhibits and programs designed to teach through experiences while en-

couraging creativity and an appreciation for the world.

The center opens May 17 with six indoor hands on exhibits, a museum store, a science lab and artist studio, an organic garden, treehouse village and many more outdoor exhibits. Summer camps, workshops, outdoor concerts and birthday

party and after-hour party facilities are also featured. The center is located in the old Mississippi City Elementary School building at 246 Dolan Avenue in Gulfport (be-

tween Teagarden and Courthouse, 1½ blocks from I-90). For information about the Discovery Center, current school programs, pre-opening events, charter memberships, or opening events, call 228-897-6039.

You don't have to be a teacher or expert to volunteer. The only requirements are a love for children and a smile.

Civil Rights photos donated to USM

A University of Southern Mississippi photojournalism professor has donated a complete set of Charles Moore's limited-edition photograph portfolio entitled, "Pictures That Make a Difference: The Civil Rights Movement," to USM

The portfolio was donated by Ed Wheeler, a USM associate professor of journalism who teaches photojournalism.

Charles Moore, a native of Alabama, is a prominent photojournalist whose photographs of the Civil Rights Movement in the South appeared primarily in Life magazine, for which he freelanced from 1962 to 1972.

Since the mid-1960s he has traveled extensively in Asia on assignment for U.S. and international magazines. He also has won awards for his corporate and industrial photography.

In 1989, Moore was awarded the first Kodak Crystal Eagle Award for Impact in Photojournalism in recognition of his coverage of the Civil Rights Movement.

Some years ago, Moore visited USM at the invitation of Wheeler and presented the university with a complete set of his civil rights portfolio.

Each portfolio contains 12 eight-inch-by-12-inch blackand-white photographs taken

by Moore throughout the South between 1958 and 1965. Only 25 sets were issued, and the USM set is number 16 of the group. Each photograph is numbered and signed by Moore.

The collection will be available for research as soon as it has been preserved and processed for the USM Department of Manuscripts and Archives in the McCain Library and Archives of the University Libraries.

Individuals who would like to donate historical materials to the USM Archives may contact Dr. Bobs Tusa, university archivist, at (601) 266-4348.

Summer camp registration

A Summer Day Camp for children, ages 4-13 will be held on the St. Rose campus, 301 S. Necaise Avenue in Bay St.

Registration will be Friday and Saturday, Apr. 24-25, 9 a.m.-noon. Registration fee is The 4-5-year-olds group will

be limited to 12 on a first-come, first-served basis. The summer camp will start June 1. Hours are 7:30 .m.-4:30

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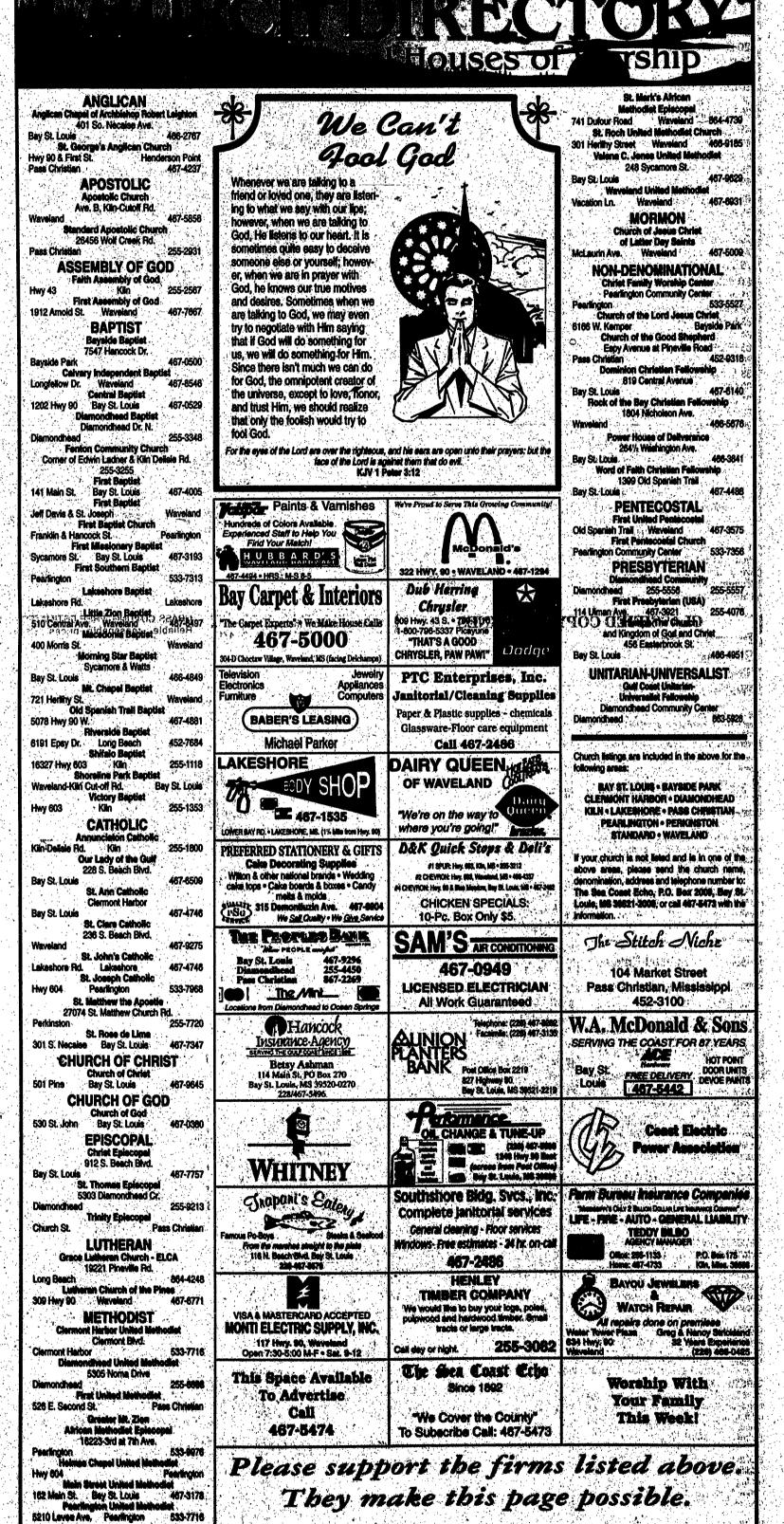
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1 YEAR FREE! FREE PARK RENT for 1 year at one of our participating mobile home parks of up to \$1,500 toward your land payments when you purchase from select number of model homes. Some restrictions and limitations apply. Call for details. AAA Homes, 1-10 Slidell, 1-800-256-9956 or 1-888-643-8332.

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AS IS, \$1,000, 30008 Washington St. 466-4418, ask for Jerry. NEW 1998 PROGRAM - PAYMENTS

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ONLY FOUR DOUBLE WIDES LEFT at \$999 down. Only two single wides left at \$499 down. Call April, 888-208-3600.

ON THE BAYOU: I REMODELED 2 br. home on 2 bayou lots: storage shed, new well & pump, county sewer, screened porch; just minutes to Bayou La Croix & the Jourdan, Owner financed, \$35,000.

467-1660 or 466-9329. SWEET SIXTEEN - 3 BR/2 BA, \$199 a month. Call Jean, 228-831-8020.

150 Unfurn, Houses For Rent

3% /2 full baths; \$550/mo, plus deposit. Call 467-2276.

3 BR. ENERGY EFFICIENT, washer/ dryer hook-up, fireplace. \$675/mo. \$675/deposit. 466-6482.

621 ELAINE STREET - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, carpet, heat/air, \$475/month, depo-sit required. (504)286-3819, leave

FOR RENT - 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH In nice neighborhood of Bay St. Louis, \$750 rent and \$750 deposit. Call Century 21 McIntyre Rapp, 487-3777.

LOOKING FOR A RENTAL? CALL USI Ashman Mollers Realty Incorporated 467-5454.

OLDE TOWN BSL: 2 BFV1 BA duplex; 1 block to beach, patio, ac/neat, hook-ups, culet neighborhood, off-street parking. Pet-free/smoke-free environment, \$400/mo. lease & deposit 487-1380.

156 Lots/Acreage

9 TO 16 ACRE TRACTS, 12 MILES East of Picayune on paved road. No mobile homes. \$25,998, \$1,000/down, \$300/mo.

HANCOCK COUNTY, SHORELINE PARK, Mallard St. 150x100 bayou aide lot. Brand new buildheed with access to the Jordan River. \$45,000 or negotiable (willing to make a good deal).(504)758-9006 or (504)879-4882.

Commercial Property

CHOCTAW VILLAGE: OFFICE & RETAIL space available. Talk to Gary T. Gilmore. 255-4396.

FOR LEASE - GREAT HWY OFFICE/ BUSINESS LOGATION, 1,000 sq.ft. W/ large Lighted Flwy sign, NEWLY RENO-VATED, CENTRALLY LOCATED in Bay

OFFICE SPACE FOR LEASE: BEACH SIDE IN OLD TOWN B.S.L. Office/retail, 1800 sq.ft., all or part. Covered patio and small fenced yard overlook bay. (228)467-1644.

Houses For Sale

SHEY BA THANDYMAN COTTAGE IN-VEETMENT: RENTAL Document Valve-lend neighborhoody 2 min. bellett, shop-bing; school, 25 j. Art St. 7/6 in 1932,000. (354) 608-658.

60 PIBER STREET, 8.8.L.: Totally refurbiehed, central älr, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 100 on cenel, \$75,000, 487-4119, pager

ON DEIER WATER CANAL - Culte, cleen comp with play, Fully furnished, 229,500 cbb, 487,880.

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GOVT FORECLOSED homes from pennies on \$1. Delinquent tax, Repo's, REO's. Your area, Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 Ext. H 3930 for current

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KILN ON JOURDAN RIVER: 2 BR/1 BA, bath quarters downstairs, elevator, dock & launch, \$120,000, 504-593-5540/day, 504-833-3042/evenings.

Public Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK

COUNTY, MESERSIPPI ETHEL BREAUX, PLANTIFF

JAMES FRANK BACHEIMN, JR.

E. E. EDWARDS, ETALS, DEFENDANTS
PUBLICATION SUMMONS
CASE NO. 96-8009
TO: JAMES FRANK BACHEMIN, and JAMES
FRANK BACHEMIN, JR. If silve, whose last known address was 2708 Lagend Drive, Nersus, LA. 70075, but
whose present address, both post office and smeat are
unknown stier diligent search and inquiry, and if dead,
the unknown heirs or devisees; and any and all persons
having or claiming any legal or equilable interest in the
following lands:
Lots 12 and 13. Sowers 324. SHODELINE DADM

having or comming my conditions of the condition of lands:

Lots 12 and 13, Square 324, SHORELINE PARK SUBDIVISION, unit 3, Addition 1, Hencock County, Mississippi, as per plet of said subdivision on file in the Office of the Chancery, Clerk, of Hancock County, Mississippi. You have been made defendants in the lewsult filed in this Court by ETHEL BRIEAUX, Plaintiff, whose address is do 125-D Main Street, Bay St. (Louis, MS 2050).

39520.

The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described properly and seeking to quiet and confirm title. You are required to file with the Clerk of this Court a syritan answer either admitting or denying such allega-tion in the complaint; and in addition, a copy of your writ-ten answer should be sighter, maled or hand delivered to JOHN C. CHEVIS. JP., Esc., plaintiffe attorney, whose address is 125-D Mein St.; Bey St. Louis, Ma. 38520. YOUR. ANSWER. MUST. BE. FILED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY DAYS FROM THE 5 DAY OF APRIL. 1998; which is the date of the first publication, or this THAN THRITY DAYS FROM THE 5 DAY OF APRIL. 1998; which is the date of the first publication of the summons. IF YOUR ANSWER IS NOT SO MALEO OR DELIVERED, A JUDGEMENT BY DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT. WITNESS my algoriture and official seel this the 1st day of April, 1996.

TIM KELLAR CHANCERY CLERK MANDHAHLERS DEPUTY CLERK 4/5: 4/12: 4/19/98

OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI DEBORAH HARRIS, PLAINTIFF

DEBORAH HARRIS, PLANTIFF
VS.
STATE OF MISSISPPI, MAIN-HURDMAN
A PENNSYLVANIA PARTIMERSHIP AND
ANY AND ALL OTHER PERSONS, DEFENDANTS
PUBLICATION SUBMINORS
CIVIL CAUSE NO, 88-0232
TO: (1) Main-Hurdman, a Pennsylvania Parinership,
whose last known domicile, post office and Street address is 801 Poydras Street Suite 2440, New Orleans,
LA70130, after diligent search and inquisy, and if dissolved, its unknown partners or assigns, whose addresses,
both post office and street addresses, are unknown after
diligent search and inquisy (2) Any and all other persons
having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in andto-the hereinalter described land.
Lott 2, 3 and 4, Block 7; Jourdan Fliver Oaks Subdivi-Lots 2, 3 and 4, Block 7; Jourdan Filver Oaks Subdivi-

office of the Clerk of the Chancery, Court of Hencock-County, Misslespot.

You have been made Defendants in the lewant filed in this Court by Deborah Harris, Plaintiff, whose address is c/o J.P., Competits, P.O., Box 17, Bey St. Louis, MS 39520.

The other Defendant in this levisuit is the State of Mississippi.

This Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging legal ownership of the above described property and seeking to quiet and confirm title.

You are required to file with the Confirm of the Court and action of the Court and Court and

You are required to file with the Carry of the Court at written answer either admitting or derrying sich allegation in the Complaint; and in addition, a copy of you'r written answer should either be malled or hand delivered to J.P. Compretts. Plaintiff's Attorney, whose address is P.O. Box 57, Bay St. Louis, MS 39620.

Your answer must be tiled not lease than thirty days after the 12th day of April, 1999, which is the date of the first publication of this aummons, if your answer is not so filled, mailed or delivered, a judgement by default may be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Winess my signature and official seal this 9th day of April: 1998.

(SEAL)

Timothy A. Keller CHANCERY CLERK BY: Mend Ahlers Deputy Clerk 412: 419: 420-98

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, IMMERIABLE IN
INTEL MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DONIS F.
KINGSTON, DECEASED
EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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Ahiri J. Kingston, Jr. Executor 4-12: 4-19; 4-26-98 IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, SEELEPPH IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

ROBERT JEROME WHAVERS, SR. DECEASED ADMINISTRATRICS HOTICE TO CHEDITORS NO. 98-9211
STATE OF MISSISSERS.

STATE OF Messagery:
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Letters of Administration having been granted on the
5 day of April, 1966, by the Chancery Court of Hancock
County, Mississippl, to the undersigned upon the Essage
of Robert Jeroma Whevers, Sr., decessed, notice is
hereby given to all presone having claims against said
seases to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for
phobase and registration according to lies within ninety
(90) days from this date, or they will be forever berned.
This 2 day of April A.D., 1986.
LAVERN WHAVERS
Administration

GEX & ARTIGUES Roneld J. Artigues, Jr. MS Bar No. 8913 MS-Der Po. ee13 700 Highwey 90 P.O. Box 47 Wevelend, MS 38578-0047 (801) 467-5428 4-5; 4-12; 4-19-98

PUBLIC HEARMS

MODIFICATION OF HAMCOCK COUNTY NOM MAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN Notice is hireby given to the Public that a Public hearing with beheld in May 18, 1986 at 10:00 am, in the Hearcock County Board of Supervisors From at the Hearcock County Courthuse, 150 Mein Street, Bey St. Louis, Mississippi, on proposals to modify the Wester Management Plan to add the following locations as Class S. Rubbert Stee, to wit:

(1) Prince J. Lachier, part of Section 23, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, to be used for disposal of Class II Rubbert and.

(2) Kevini Heise, part of this NE X. of Section 23, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of the SW X of NW X of Section 34, Township 7, South, Raings 15 West, and part of the SW X of NW X of Section 34, Township 7, South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 33, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 33, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 33, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 33, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 34, Township 7 South, Raings 15 West, and part of Section 35, Township 7 South, Parings 15 West, and part of Section 35, Township 7 South, Parings 15 West, and part of Section 35, Township 7 South, Parings 15 West, and part of Section 35, Township 7 South, Parings 15 West, and part of Section 35, Township 7 South, Parings 15 Section 35, Township 7 Sec

bed in Writing to She Hencopic Courny source in Supervisors.

After the hearing the Board of Supervisors shell submit the modification, if approved, to the Solid Wester Authority to the Action of the Solid Wester Authority to the Solid Wester Authority to the Solid Visit of April, 1968.

Assumed the Solid Carder of the Solid of Supervisors of Hencopic Courney, March 1969.

Timodity A. Keller Clork, Solid of Supervisors Hencopic Courney, Makessappi Byt Terry E. Guernert, D.C. 4-12, 4-19-96.

Public Notice

CASE NO. 98-182196 PILE NO. HN-98-11 TOMAY V. GRANTHAM, 718 E. U.S. SO, CREST-

TOMMY V. GRANTHAM, 718 E. U.S. 80; CREST-VEW, FL. 32338

A. S. GARCIA, ADDRESS UNKNOWN

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO

POWERT SECRED PROPERTY

You are hereby notified that on, Likrot 10, 1968 in
Hancock County, Mesleatopi, the projectly listed and
described below was setzed by the Hancock County
Narcocks Tank Force pursuent to Misc Code Ann.
§41-29-153, Mass. Code Ann. §41-29-179 provides for
the administrative forfeiture of propenty other than a
controlled aubstance, raw meterial or paraphernalis
seized under the Uniform Controlled Substance Law,
the value of which does not secred \$10,000,00

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: 1991 DODGE
FOUR DOOR, VIN 185XC46RSM0174281

APPROX. VALUE: \$4,000,00

Said vehicle being subject to forfeiture under the provisions of §41-29-153(e)(4) of the Missessippi Code of
1972, as amended, having been used, or intended to
use, to transport or to Socillate the transportation, site;
redebt, possession or concessiment of controlled sub-

use. Io transport or to scallable the transportation, sale, receipt, possession or concealment of controlled substances or property described in \$41-29-153(4)2 in violation of titles Uniform. Controlled Substances Liew.

T.O. CONTEST THE FORFETURE:

If you claim an injerset in the above—described property which is subject to notice under Miles. Code Ann. \$41-29-176, and wish to context the forfeiture you must within thirty (30) days after receipt of this Notice or of the date of the first publication of this Notice. File a petition aligned by you contesting the forfeiture and requesting judicial review in the county out, if a county count exist, or otherwise in the county out, if a county county in which the extrume is mission or the county (and district) in which the criminal prosecution is brought, in order to claim an interest in the property. Upon the filing of the Petition and the payment of the filing fees, service of the petition shall be made on the attorney for the setzing lew enforcement agency, and the proceeding shall thereafter be governed by the Mississipply Fulse of Civil Procedure.

MISTERICTIONS SOO EMAD DESTINANT

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING PETITION; "INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING PETITION: Pursuant to Messiselpt Fulse of Civil Procedure, Rule 10, the Printion requesting judicial review and cortesting the forfeiture should contain a caption setting routh (1) the name of court, (2) the title of the action including all of the member of the parties, (3) the file number and (4) at designation as in Rule 7(a), (i.e. Pestion to Contest Forfeiture), Accordingly, the title should designate all of the above-described property in which you have an interest as the Plaintiff(s) of this action versus the Detendant which is the responding seizing agency. You are described the Claimant, PETTTIONS MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PARTIES MAKING THE CLAIMS YOU Pestition should express what your interest is in the Your Petition should express what your interest is in the property and why you do not believe it should be forteled.

property and, why you do not believe it should be forfelted.

If you file such a Petition, a copy of the Petition must be served upon the attorney or representative providing this Notice by service of process in the same manner as in other civil cases; Said agent for process for the setzing agency can be served at the following address; Christiopher L. Schmidt Assistant District Attorney.

1801 23rd Avenue, "Second Floor Guilfort, Ma. 39502 Myou do not this such a Petition requesting judicial review and consesting the forfelture within thirty (30) days of receiving this notice, the above-described property will be forfelted to the Hencock County Narcotics Tasifforce to be used, distributed, or disposed of in accordance with the provisions of Miss. Code Ann. \$41-20-181;

Deted this the 14 Dey of April, 1998; NOTICE PROVIDED BY: CONO CARANNA DISTRICT ATTORNEY BY: CHRISTOPHER L SCHAMDT ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY 4-19; 4-26; 5-3-96

PUBLIC HEARING
The Bay St. Louis Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a public heating Wednesday, April 29, 1999, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Helf Annex, 111 Court Street, to consider the following:

Total Maximum Delity Load (TADL)

or Facel Colline Bear Watershed
The St. Louis Bay Watershed
The Department of Environmental Quality iscently completed a water quality assessment of St. Louis Bay and its major inbutaries. This assessment determined that the Bay is impacted mainly due to increased levels of fecal collions bacteria primarily following major rain sevents. Likely contributors to this problem include consider the following:
Madeline W. Torti - application for a 5.41' variance on
Madeline W. Torti - application for a 5.41' variance on
The west side of the property and an 8' variance on the
Teat side, to construct a single family residence. The
Property in question is located at 4010 North Beach
Boulverd and is described as part of Lot 2, First Ward
Say St Louis Hancock County. Misselsing His zoned

Additional information for the above mentioned is available for review during the hours of 7 a.m. and 4 p.m., Mondey through Friday, in the office of the Building Inspection Department, City Helf. 300 South Second Street, 467-3061. All interested parties are invited to LAURA GRIFFITH

ACTING CLERK OF COUNCIL 4/16; 4/19; 4/23/98

The Bay St. Louis Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing Wednesday, April 29, 1998, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hell Annex, 111 Court Street, to consider the following: Ronald Robert - application for a 5' side yard and a 10' reary yard variance sebbeck requirements in order to construct a single family residence. The property in question is located on South Beach Boulvard and is described as Lot 105, 4th. Ward, Bay St. Louis, Henocok County, Mississippi, it is zoned R-4. Additional information for the above mentioned is available for review during the hours of 7 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, in the office of the Building Inspection Department, City Hell, 500 South Second Street, 467-3061. All interested parties are invited to attend.

LAURA GRIFFITH ACTING CLERK OF COUNCIL 4/16; 4/19; 4/23/98

MOTICE TO CREDITORS

CLARENCE L. SLOAME

NO. 98-0205

Letters Testementary having been granted on the 16th day of April. 1998, by the Chancery Court of Hencook County, Mississippl, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Clerence L. Sloame, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims apainst said estate to present the same to the Clark of said Court for probes and registered according to lew within ninety (90) days from date of first publication of this notice, or they will be forever barned.

This 16th day of April, 1998.

George L. Sloame, Sr. Executor David M. Necales NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Altomey At Lew P.O. Box 2036 Bey St. Louis, MS 39521 4-19; 4-26; 5-3; 5-10-98

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FOR A VARIANCE TO THE HAM-COCK COUNTY ZONING ORDINANCE:
A public hearing will be held before the Hencock County Plenning Commission on Thursday, May 7, 1995, at 4:15 P.M. in the Zoning Office located at 151 Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS 39820, to corriside the application of Gerald MI, Johnson for approved of a varience from the front, side, and reary yard requirements in A-1 Districts to allow a front yard of ten (10) feet, a side yard of three (3) feet on the South side, and a reary and of thisteen (13) feet for improvements to be placed on Lot S3. Lambert Lane Subdivision, Hancock County, Mississippi. Medicappi.
Those interested in more information on the above nation may visit, the Zoning-Office of oall at 200 Medicap to the second of the s

Hencock County Hencock County Building/Zoning Official 4-19-98

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HERRESY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD BEPORE THE PLANNING AND
ZORING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WAVE-LAND ON THE ZTR DAY OF APIR. 1989, AT THE
CITY OF WAVELAND BOARD ROOM, CITY HALL
ANNEX, SIT COLEMAN AVENUE, WAVELAND, MISSISSIPP, AT \$180 P.M. TO CONSIDER THE
POLLOWING:
Mr. James Marfower requests a two foot as inch (2°8")
wateros from the required side yeard building selficial considering in proceeding to the processing of the processing footied at 202 Water Street,
Legal description is: Lot 12, Stock 15, Wavelend Park
Subdivision, City of Mavelend, Hercock County,
Missistop).

Medicion (Marchelle May Attende And Lave an Oppositionally To be Heard. For additional information phone 465-3549, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Kelth Michell Zoning Official 4-12: 4-18: 4-19-98

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEADING TO CONSIDER AM APPLICATION FOR SPICIAL ENGINETION TO THE HAMOOCK COUNTY ZONNY DISCHARCE A paths rearing will be held before the Hamoock County Finning Commission on Thursday, May 7, 1916, at 4:30 P.M. in the Zoning Office located at 151 Majn St. Rey 8t. Louis, MS 38880; is ported in a special enception to ask of the processor of Am Shart for provided its special enception to safety the passward of a Sharvin Williams Paint Store and Warnhouse on Lois 8, 7, 9, 41, 45, and 43 of Broot 11; Bay 8t. Louis Land and Improvement Co. Bubblishin, tericook County, Mississippi, on property zonaci Re.

Proc. These interested in more information on the above mightor may vielt the Zoning Office of call at (285)467-4157 or (285)469-4727 turing require business from; which are from \$500 A.M. until \$500 P.M., Mendey through Priday.

THE SEA COAST ECHO—SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 1998-13B

Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARMING TO CONSIDER CENTRALN AMENDMENTS TO THE HANCOCK COUNTY.

ZONING MAP.

A public hearing will be held before the Hancock County Planning Commission on Thursday, May 7, 1986, at 4:30 P.M. in the Zoning Office located at 151 Main St., Say St. Louis, MS 39520, to consider cartain-antendments to the Zoning Map of Hancock County, Missespip.

entendments to the Zoning Mep of Hencock County, Missespip.

Those interested in more information on the above matter may visit the Zoning Office; or call at (228)467-4157 or (228)466-4727 curing regular business hours, which are from 8:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M., Mondey through Friday.

The property involved in the amendment fronts on the North side of Highway 90 and lies between McLaurn Street and the West Corporate limit line of the City of Bey St. Louis, Missespip, and is currently zoned F2-2. The proposed amendment will change the zoning classification from R-2 to C-2 (Highway Commercial) for the following described property:

Beginning at the point where the South line of the systemation of the Biernark Sinset ROW intersects the East corporate limit line to its intersection with the canterline of the scenation of Ninth Sinset; thence Easterly along the barriarding of Ninth Sinset; Ninth Street: thence Easterly along the centerline Ninth Street to its intersection with the centerline of A nold Street; thence Northerly along the centerline of A nold Street to its intersection with the centerline of Hu nold Street to its intersection with the centerline of Hugo Street; thence: Easterly along the centerline of Hugo Street to its termination et the East line of Blocks 88 and 89 of the Bay St. Louis Land & Development Company's a point on the West corporate line of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi which is 300 North of the North ROW line of US Highway 90; thence Southwesterly along the said West corporate limit line 300 feet to the North ROW line of US Highway 90; thence Southwesterly along the said North ROW line to the Intersection with the South ROW line of Bismark Street thence Westerly along the South ROW line of Bismark Street to the place of beginning Histocok County Hancock County Building Zoning Official

Building/Zoning Official

THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

N THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE
OF
ROBERT JEROME WHAVERS, SR. DECEASED
SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION
NO. 98-0211
TO: The unknown or known heirs at lew and all other
persons claiming any right, tibe or interest as heirs of the
Estate of Robert J. Whavers, Sr.
You have been made respondent in a lewsuit fied in
this Court fied by LaVern Whavers. The petition filed
against you is a civil action seeking to have LaVern
Whavers, Robert Jerome Whavers, Jr., Richard John
Whavers, Robert Jerome Whavers, Jr., Richard John
Whavers, Rodney Joseph Whavers and Rosalyn Joyce
Whavers adjudicated as the sole and only heirs at law of
the Decident, Robert Jerome Whavers, Sr. as fully set
out in the petition on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.

out in the petition on file in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi.
You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to compleint filed against you in this action to
Flonald J. Artigues, Jr., Attomey for Petitioner, whose
address is 700 Hwy. 90, Suite A, Post Office Box 47,
Wavelend, Mississippi 39576.
Your response must be filed not later than thirty days
from the 5 day of April, 1998, which is the date of the first
publication of this summons. If your response is not so
mailed or delivered, a judgement by default will be entered against you for the railer demanded in the complaint, You must also file an original of your response
with the Clerk of the Court within a reasonable time
afterward.

afterward.

Issued under my hand and seal of this Court, this 2 day of April, 1996.

(SEAL)

TIM A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK BAY ST, LOUIS, HANCOCK COUNTY, MS. BY: Mandi Ahlers, D.C. 4-5; 4-12; 4-19; 4-28-98 Notice of Public Meeting

the Bay is impacted mainly due to increased levels of fecal collorm bacteria primarily following major rain events. Likely contributors to this problem include wastewater treatment facilities, unsewered subdivisions and other nonpoint sources of polition. This impact has impained the shellfish harvesting and the recreational uses of the Bay.

The St. Louis Bay Watershed provides significant economic and recreational benefit to the state and especially the coastal region. Because of this benefit is the mortant that the waterquality in the Bay be improved and protected. DEG Intends to devote considerable effort and resources over the next several years to study the pollutant levels in this watershed. For this study, to be successful, we will need this object and the study to be successful, we will need this object and the study when the subdivision of the study we will set forth a plan that will seek to restore, as fully as possible, the uses of the Bay, compatible with economic development.

An information forum, open to the public, has been planned to discuss the project. The meeting will be held at the Bay St. Louis Civic Center, 3066 Long Fellow Road, Hancock County, on April 25, 1968 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. This meeting has been designed to present the specifics of the project and to answer questions from the public.

For more information please contact Mr. Greg Jackson at (601) 961-5098. Yourney also contact Mr. Jackson by mail at P.O. Box 10385, Jackson, MS 39289-0385.

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SEAMAN DUPLESSIS

Navy Seaman Quincy J. Duplessis, son of Wanda D. and Joseph B. Piernas Sr. of Pass Christian, recently helped the amphibious assault ship USS Wasp win the Allen G. Ogden Award, while deployed to the Mediterranean Sea and Ara-

bian Gulf. Duplessis' ship won the award for flawlessly conducting more than 3,000 safe aircraft launches and recoveries and almost 600 on-deck aircraft move-

ment evolutions. The 1997 graduate of Pass Christian High School joined the Navy in August 1997.

PVT LEE Marine Pvt. John K. Lee, a 1997 graduate of Hancock High School, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps

Recruit Depot, San Diego. Lee and fellow recruits ended the training phase with The Crucible, a 54-hour team effort, problem solving evolution which culminated in a ceremony in which the recruits were presented the Marine Corps Emblem and were addressed as "Marines" for the fist time since

boot camp began.

PVT ROBERTSON Army Pvt. Ronald G. Robertson was graduated from the Bradley fighting vehicle system turret mechanic course at Fort

Knox Radcliff, Ky. Robertson is the son of Cathy D. Locklier of Summit and Ronald E. Robertson of Bay St. Louis.

Public Notice

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RITA CLAIRE REGAN LOUVIERE, DECEASED EXECUTEIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS. NO. 98-0247 STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Latters testamentary having been granted on the 15th day of April, 1998, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County Mississippi, to the undersigned Executrix upon the estate of Rita Claire Regan Louviere, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clark of this Court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the date of the first publication of this notice or they will be forever barred. This 15th day of April, 1998.

GAIL FARELL, Executrix 4-19; 4-26; 5-3-98

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MESSISSIPPI GLADYS PARIS JACOBS DONALD & JACOBS, SR.

DONALD S. JACOBS, SR.
VERSUS
LINDA NORVELL MALENDA SUE BRASHIER
JACOBS, ROY P. JACOBS, DONNELL J. DIETTE,
BYRON P. JACOBS, CARLER LYNN JACOBS,
RHONDA J. MATRANGA, PATRICIA H. TIFT,
and THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW of
DONALD S. JACOBS, JR., DECEASED
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
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CAUSE NO 960209
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF DONALD S.
JACOBS, JR., DECEASED, whose names, post office
and street addresses, are unknown after diligent search
and inquity;

JACOBS, JH., DECEASED, whose names, post office and street addresses, are unknown after diligent search and inquiry;

You have been made a defendant in the suit filed in the Court by Gladys Paris Jacobs and Donald S. Jacobs, Sr., Plaintiffer, seeking to Adjudicate the Heirs of Donald S. Jacobs, Jr., Decassed, and to Place the Heirs in Possession of certain real property as described in the Petition.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the petition filed spainst your in this action at 9:30 a.m. o'clock on the Shind May, 1996, in the Courtoom of the Hancock County Court Annex at 306 Highway 90, Bay St. Lobis, Missessippl 36520, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgement will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition, You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so it you dealer.

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court this the 3 day of April, 1906.

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TIM KELLAR Chancery Clerk By: L. Scerborough, D.C. 4-5; 4-12; 4-19-98 or visit our web site at www.edf.org

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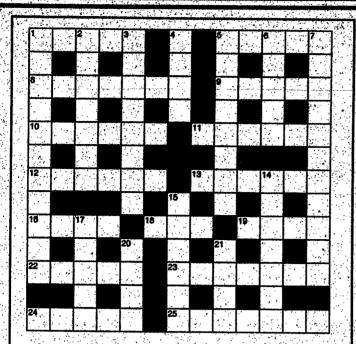
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Evening in Provence fund raiser April 24

"An Evening in Provence," a new springtime fund raiser for the George Ohr Arts and Cultural Center April 24 in Pass Christian.

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Tickets are available for the public. Funds raised will support Ohr Center exhibits and programs now and in 1999, including the fall 1999 exhibit, "Frank Janca and the Artists of Provence."

Also in the air will be French provincial music provided by a duo from University of Southern Mississippi.

Special feature of the event, 7-10 p.m. at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey on Scenic Drive, will be a crepes station provided by the Isle of Capri. Crepes are popular fare in the cafes of southern France, including in Provence, the southernmost province in the country and a favorite painting spot for both Van Gogh and Bi-loxi native son Frank Janca.

Also on the menu will be French bread from Le Croissant, cheesecake from the Blow Flyn Inn, a light provincial pasta from Germaines, and dishes with a French flair from Lagniappe Catering, Ronnier Ornstein Catering, The Chim-neys, Barnabys and Jazzeppi's.

Additional European-style appetizers will be prepared us-ing recipes from the kitchen of Pascagoula artist Lucy Gaines, including bruschetta, a popular garlic and olive oil bread

concoction. As is popular in the Gulf-like atmosphere of Provence, an assortment of brie and fish hors d'oeuvres will also be served.

Guests will also taste French wines and sample flaming coffees prepared by Don Robohm, husband of Ohr Center board member Natalie Robohm. A cash bar will also be available, and a cigar bar will remain open

for the evening.

A \$100 ticket admits two adults and also provides one chance on winning two round-trip tickets to France during 1998 (normal exclusions apply).

The drawing will be held that night, as will a live auction of a Frank Janca original oil. Janca will be guest of honor. Ohr Center exhibits and

programs frequently present the rich cultural heritage of the

A flavor of the French countryside will be the hallmark of for 1999 will provide an even sharper focus on the region's shared cultural and artistic

> Major exhibits will feature the art of Bosnia, of contemporary Vietnam, of African American quilters.

> Tickets will be available through the morning of April 24. For information, call 228-374-5547.

New Orleans to celebrate food and wine July 9-12

Imagine. Crawfish pie, jambalaya and spicy gumbo. Add some of the finest wines in the world. Blend with elegant dinners at famous restaurants such as Brennan's, Commander's Palace, Alex Patout's, and Galatoire's. Top with a stroll down Royal Street to visit dozens of the finest antique shops in the French Quarter — again with food and wine. Spend a total six hours in two

days sampling food prepared by the nation's premier chefs, again while sipping great wine. And for lagniappe (the French word for something extra) add a bit of education by attending food and wine seminars.

It's all a part of the New Or-leans Wine and Food Experience (NOWFE), a four-day, nonstop event (July 9-12) featuring 300 wines and 100 New Orleans restaurants in what has become one of the world's most outstanding wine and food festivals.

"Other festivals import one or two of our famous chefs, while our event has about a hundred New Orleans chefs offering food tastings and vintner dinners unparalleled in the world," says Anne Gooch, NOWFE president. "It's our seventh year, and we are definitely bigger and better than

The Wine and Food Experience begins Thursday evening with grand multi-course vintner dinners at 27 restaurants. Each dinner features multiple wines from a particular vineyard with a principle, often the winemaker, on hand to explain

Much planning between the chefs and vintners take place beforehand to ensure a grand

Friday evening features the Royal Street Experience, a fun-filled evening of wine, food and music with 30 antique shops and art galleries opening their doors. The street is void of vehicular traffic, allowing for the fun of a marching jazz band to

add to your enjoyment.
One of the highlights of the event is the Grand Tastings on Saturday and Sunday. 1:30-4:30 p.m., offering samplings of more than 300 wines to complement tastings prepared by the chefs from the city's bestknown restaurants.

The Grand Tastings take place at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center where there is plenty of room to enjoy the perience to its roster of world re-

nowned events.

The four-day celebration is attended by food and wine lov-

ers from almost every state and

several foreign countries. Last

year attendance hit an all-time.

high of 5,000. NOWFE is a non-profit orga-

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ants and wine purveyors.

Seminars featuring vintners and demonstrations by New Orleans famous chefs take place Saturday and Sunday morning at the Convention Center.

Registration is \$295 and includes the Royal Street Experience, four seminars and two Grand Tastings. Vintner dinners are \$75 (reservations and payment are made directly to the restaurant).

For registration, a brochure or information, call 504/529-WINE (9463); FAX 504/596-FOOD (3663).

For hotel and airline information, call Travel New Orleans, 800/535-8747 HISTORY OF NEW ORLEANS WINE

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In 1992 a group of food and wine enthusiasts banded together to found the New Orleans Wine and Food Experience (NOWFE).

The idea of an event to pair the city's unique food with great wines to complement every dining experience was immediately embraced by the great restaurateurs and chefs of the city and the top vintners and wineries in the country.

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